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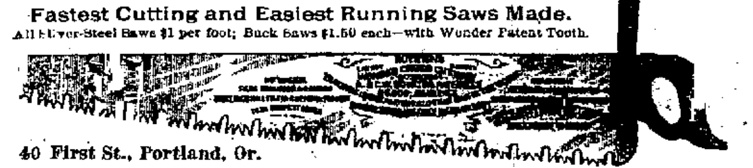

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—BY—

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Grand Mardi Gras Carnival Procession and Masquerade Ball Given

—BY THE—

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On the 22d of February, 1889, at Mechanics' Pavilion.

THE ORDER GIVEN BY H. M. KING CARNIVAL

Is the Following:

The Mardi Gras procession shall start from our Palace (Mechanics' Pavilion) at 1 P. M.

Route of Procession: Down Third street to F st., thence down F to First st., up First st. to Mill st., up Mill st. to Third st., down Third st. to our Palace.

PROGRAMME AND ORDER OF PROCESSION.

MEXICAN VAQUEROS.
The Advance Guard of the Mardi Gras, followed by
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PART II.

The order of the evening given by H. M. King Carnival is the following:

There shall be a Grand Masquerade Ball of all my fool subjects in my royal domain, to commemorate the auspicious event of our coronation, which brilliant ceremony shall take place precisely at 9 P. M., at our Royal Palace, hitherto known as the

Mechanics' Pavilion.

Further, I have ordained that there shall be represented in gorgeous style by the Ministers of my Realm, the imposing ceremony of Our Coronation; and for the amusement of my subjects, I have ordained that there shall be produced, with the most wonderful and dazzling effect,

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I have ordained that there shall be awarded 9 Elegant Prizes by three competent Judges of my Court for this Grand Masquerade Ball, and 1 Elegant Prize for the Mardi Gras Carnival Street Procession.

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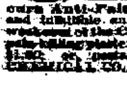

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A FOOLISH TIRADE.

Judge Edgerton Makes a Savage Assault on Cleveland,

IN THE SHAPE OF AN OPEN LETTER.

The President Taunted About His Defeat Last November.

A MAN WHO HAS MADE NO FRIENDS.

His Failure Attributed to His Arrogant Treatment of the Best Men in the Party—A Letter of Exceptional Bitterness.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 18.—Judge Edgerton, who was recently removed from the office of civil service commissioner, has written an open letter to the president. He will say, among other things:

"I was indebted to you for the only appointive office I ever held. You now declare by your action that you regret the appointment. I, with equal right, can say that I regret the acceptance. Your regret was never made known to me by you in any word, or utterance, or action, until the close of your administration, and on the day before my removal. I presume there were prudential political reasons why you did not make the removal until after the election. In this regard, it would almost seem as if you were willing to play false with the mugwumps to enable you to win with the democrats. The result of the election placed you in a dilemma, from which few people would have known how to extricate themselves. You found a man on your hands whom the mugwumps had declared war upon, and an enemy to their civil service reform theories, and your plan of becoming their representative in the future would be weakened, unless from the assurance of your fidelity to their cause, it could be secured. Accordingly, it appears, you decided upon removing the head of the commission, and, deeming Thompson a good enough mugwump for them, you therefore demanded my resignation that you might appoint him, apparently, as an atonement for your previous inaction.

"Mr. President, with all due courtesy to the high office you hold, allow me to say you are a very peculiar man, a positive man, positively wrong, or positively right, and therefore an unsafe man to trust, and that element in your character, I believe, led to your defeat. Pope says: 'The most positive men are the most credulous, since they most believe themselves, and advise most with their fellow flatterers and worst enemies.' Being one of that kind of positive men yourself, you have some men of like character around you, who are positive only in their malice and conceit. Juvenal says: 'There is nothing a man will not believe in his own favor.' You were credulous enough to believe you were elected president by the mugwumps and, therefore, you permitted them to malign your real friends and to flatter you into the policy which led to your defeat. You are a man who would not permit your real friends to admonish you with freedom and confidence, and as a result you have suffered from the want of friends, and your wrecked and wretched greatness has discovered that there is no true success in life without the power and the blessings of friendship.

You believed that your will and the power to enforce it was above all powers, but the will of the people, expressed in a constitutional way, has taught you that there was a wiser and better way than that chosen by you. You will be censured and condemned, because you put no trust in your own party, but believed yourself to be better than your own and greater than all parties. You have ascertained that the many were not made for the one. You can find as many reasons for removing me as the democratic party, through an indifference which was simply retaliating, had for removing you. I shall be quite willing to remain with you in the gloom of defeat."

The judge proceeds to give his understanding of the civil service law, and continues:

"I do not ask you to give any reason for the removal. I know and so do you that the only one you could give would be that it was your will; for, if you attempted to give any other, your own previous words would prove it untrue. In my interview with you before removal, you expressly declared having any reason for it, except on account of my refusal to resign to enable you to make Mr. Thompson's nomination possible. 'Removed' is a word of far-reaching potency, especially when the record does not explain it. I am conscious of this, and deeply pained by the consciousness. The people have the right to know the truth in all matters of this kind, and for this reason, only, do I address you. I cannot, like you, take the prayer for relief to the public, such as the article seemed to be in the Baltimore *Sun*, of the 14th inst. This is the first time in the history of the government that an outgoing president has found it necessary to assert through the newspapers his particular work during his term of office, and his claim upon his party and country for approval. Between the lines can be read a special plea for re-election. I can point to another removal than mine, beyond parallel, to go down through history when I shall be forgotten. Before I do so let me refer, as proof of your ignorance of public opinion, and not of your indifference to it, to what you say in the *Sun* article of Mr. Burnes of Missouri, as one not guilty of the annoyance to which you were subjected by country members of congress introducing to you their constituents, because he always presented his constituents at the public receptions. If Mr. Burnes were living he could tell you another reason, which he often told to others, that he had been rudely treated by you and had no respect for you personally and ascribed the defeat of the democratic party to your ignorance of it. It was necessary that you should make some such explanation for your attack upon 'way-back' members, but you were unfortunate in the selection of your witness, one of the ablest and noblest legislators in congress.

"I was on the floor of the house of representatives during the time the votes of the electoral college were counted, and heard the announcement of the result that Benjamin Harrison was duly elected president of the United States: but the words that burned deep through the empty boxes of the administration could not be officially added, though known to be true, 'in place of Grover Cleveland, removed.' By whom, and for what cause removed? The answer is now being made in every home and every business house in the land, and history will inscribe it upon all its records."

Judge Edgerton attributes Cleveland's defeat to his disregard of the opinions and advice of the most eminent men of his party, and to his political ingratitude, and continues as follows: "In the statement of your public acts, as printed in the *Sun* article, referring to this declaration: 'When Mr. Cleveland came into office he found the departments filled with incompetents, who had found permanent lodgement there through favoritism, etc.,' how can you say you find the departments filled with incompetents, and yet retain all in office during your administration? There is a mistake somewhere. Did you not know, Mr. President, that nearly three-fourths of all the persons now in office in the departmental service were there in 1885? You will soon have no power of removal, and the places they hold will not be subject to your 'clearing out' efforts. You have shut your eyes to the fact that these clerks have been active and successful in aiding you in your own 'clearing out,' and the poor civil service eligibles still have the wide scope you have secured for them on the outside, while the incompetents are rejoicing within. You do not understand the civil service law, Mr. President. Its examinations are not made for those inside, but for those outside. Your theory, in action, would defeat the law. You have not dared to weed out the incompetents."

Judge Edgerton concludes with a criticism of the conduct of one of the Ohio commissioners, without mentioning his name.

WASHINGTON NEWS ITEMS.

Judgments Awarded.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 18.—The court of claims has given judgment for $1,002,517, in favor of the Central Pacific Railway Company, in its suit against the United States for withheld dividends.

Judgment has also been awarded to Charles A. Perry and J. C. Erwin & Co., for $5320 and $9735, respectively, on claims arising out of the expedition to Utah, under command of General Albert S. Johnston.

Springer's Oklahoma Bill.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 18.—The senate committee on territories decided to report favorably on Springer's bill to organize the territory of Oklahoma. Butler dissented, and will report a substitute authorizing the government to treat with the Indians for the extinguishment of their title to the lands, preparatory to organizing the territory.

Butterworth's Resolution.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 18.—The *Post* to-morrow will say: Congressman Butterworth will soon introduce a resolution requesting the president to invite the members of the parliament of the Dominion of Canada and the premiers and cabinets of the several provinces of the Dominion to visit the United States about the first of May next and be the guests of the people of the United States. The resolution asks for an appropriation of $150,000 to defray the expenses of their visit and provide for the appointment of a grand committee of seventy-five members of the house of representatives, and a suitable number of senators to receive and entertain the nation's guests. It also authorizes the various railroad companies to make rates for the transportation of the distinguished guests, regardless of the interstate commerce act. The purpose of Butterworth's resolution is to promote a more friendly feeling and encourage closer business relations between the people of the two countries.

Death of an Infantry Officer.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 18.—The adjutant general of the army has been informed of the death, at Fort Hays, Kan., this morning, of Colonel John E. Yard, of the Eighteenth infantry. His death will cause the promotion of Lieutenant-Colonel Henry M. Lazelle, of the Twenty-third infantry, and Major H. S. Hawkins, of the Tenth infantry.

To Pay the Army Monthly.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 18.—Cullom introduced an amendment to the army appropriation bill providing that hereafter the number of paymasters in the army, with the rank of major, shall be forty, and that the army shall be paid monthly, unless circumstances shall render such payment impracticable.

No Agreement on the Territorial Bill.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 18.—The conferees on the omnibus territorial bill were in session two hours without coming to a conclusion. They exchanged views at length, and separated to consider them over night and meet again to-morrow.

The Statue of Lewis Cass Unveiled.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 18.—The statue of Lewis Cass, presented to the people of the United States by the people of Michigan, for a place in the statuary hall at the capital, was unveiled to-day. There were no formal exercises in the hall.

An Act Approved.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 18.—The president approved the act in relation to dead fallen timber on Indian lands.

Minister Phelps Arrives in Washington.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 18.—Minister Phelps arrived in Washington this afternoon.

CALIFORNIA NEWS ITEMS.

Personal and General.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 18.—C. C. Beekman, of Jacksonville, and a party of six Oregonians, are at the Palace.

H. Brook, of Spokane Falls, is at the Grand, accompanied by his wife.

H. Abbott and wife registered at the Palace this morning from Vancouver, B. C. Abbott is general manager of the western division of the Canadian Pacific railroad.

Judge Levy has granted Moda Silberstein permission to carry on business in her own name, to enable her to support herself and infant child, her husband Louis being in ill health. Her capital is $1000, which she drived from her father, Hyman Abraham, of Portland, Oregon.

General Ady, general passenger and ticket agent of the Denver, Texas & Fort Worth, the new line from Denver to Fort Worth, returned to the city to-day from Portland, where he has been in the interest of his line.

The disinterring of the bodies by the laborers excavating for the McAllister street wing of the new city hall, continues, nearly fifty remains having been found up to date. Four coffins were unearthed to-day, and the contents removed to the morgue for reburial. A number of bodies were partially uncovered, but as they were below the level of the foundation base, they were allowed to remain.

At the Congregational Club to-day Rev. J. H. Cruzan presided, and Rev. Mr. Jewett read a brief paper, giving statistics respecting the growth of the Congregational denomination in the state during the past decade, and especially during the past year. Ten years ago they had only seventy-nine churches, with sixty-six ministers and a membership of 4477. Now there are 150 churches, and the membership has increased about 100 per cent. The largest church was the First in Oakland, with over 1000 members, and the smallest that in Marysville, with only one resident member—a Chinaman.

People here are having the same trouble with seals killing fish as the people on the lower Columbia river experience. The senate fish and game committee from the legislature are inspecting the seal rookeries, to come to a better understanding of the two measures which have been referred to it. These bills are both intended to withdraw the protection now afforded the seals under the present law. One of these bills provides a bounty of $2 per head for the killing of seals, and the other provides for their total destruction.

An Important Decision.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 18.—The supreme court to-day rendered a decision in the case of John Gore against S. M. Best, et al., to recover possession of certain lands within the limits of the grant by congress to the California & Oregon Railroad Company.

The Central Pacific succeeded the above company, and in 1875, the government issued a patent to them, when the plaintiff bought the lands in dispute. In December, 1885, the defendants located a mining claim thereon, and dispossessed the plaintiff, claiming that all minerals land had been reserved in the grant by congress to the railroad. The court held to-day that when there is no reservation in the land, except a general one of mineral lands, and especially no reservation at all in the patent; that the patent must be considered as conclusive determination by the government that the land is agricultural, thereby upholding the grant by the government to the railroad company. This is the first case of the kind to be settled by the supreme court.

A Fatal Hunting Accident.

SANTA ANA, Feb. 18.—A most shocking accident occurred at Newport Bay, near this city, yesterday afternoon. A small party of hunters, including Dr. F. D. Seeber, of Orange, were hunting in a boat on the bay, and in passing a loaded gun across the boat, the weapon was accidentally discharged, the charge striking Seeber in the breast, inflicting a frightful and fatal wound. The injured man died shortly afterwards. Dr. Seeber was one of the first men of the valley, and it will be long ere his place will be filled. The entire valley is in mourning over the distressing affair.

An Innocent Man in Prison.

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 18.—This morning George Kirby, who has been sentenced to eighteen years for robbery, stated to the court that Matt Sullivan, who was recently sent up for three years for robbing a Chinaman, was innocent of it, and that he (Kirby) and a young German had robbed the Chinaman. Judge Cheney will present the facts to the governor, and Sullivan may soon be released.

Fell and Broke His Neck.

TRUCKEE, Feb. 18.—Henry Lozeille, better known as Henry Nash, fell and broke his neck this morning. He was nightwatchman of the Truckee Lumber Company, and slept in a loft in the rear. In ascending the stairs this morning he fell a distance of eight feet, and death was instantaneous. Nash has resided in Truckee twenty years. He leaves two children.

Two Sudden Deaths.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 18.—Walter Rudolph, aged 11, fell through the skylight of the new city hall this afternoon and was instantly killed.

Henry Frink, a human wreck, died this afternoon from an overdose of cocaine.

A Big Drop in Coal.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 18.—Wellington coal fell to $2 per ton to-day, and in sympathy, all other coal took a like drop. Mr. Dunsmuir remarked that it was not extraordinary. The supply just now simply exceeds the demand, that was all.

For Mayor.

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 18.—The republican city convention to-day nominated Henry T. Hazard for mayor.

Shipping.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 18.—Arrived—Str Del Norte, Coos bay. Cleared—Str State of California, Portland.

PERSONAL.

H. F. Gullixson, the well known carpet dealer, has just returned from a flying trip to San Francisco.

Mr. Jack Lewis, of Iowa City, is at the International. Mr. Lewis is a crack ball-player, having had a good standing in the Western Association last season, part of the time pitching for the Omaha team.

Mr. H. C. Eckenberger, for five years general agent here for the Chicago & Northwestern, has tendered his resignation, to take effect March 1st. Mr. Eckenberger will take a few weeks' rest, after which he contemplates taking upon himself new duties.

A Secret

Of good health is found in the regular movement of the bowels and perfect action of the Liver. These organs were intended by nature to remove from the system all impurities. If you are constipated you offer a "standing invitation" to a whole family of diseases and irregularities which will surely be "accepted," and you will have guests unwelcome and determined. All these unhappy conditions may be averted by the timely use of Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Purgative Pellets. Powerful for the effectual regulation of the bowels and Liver, establishing a healthy action of the entire wonderful organism with which we are created.

Audacious Raids by Brigands.

LONDON, Feb. 18.—The people of Servia are greatly agitated over the recent raids by brigands. The outlaws set fire to numerous villages, and kidnaped all the girls in the village of Gradais and took them away to the mountains. Other villages were looted and girls and cattle stolen.

THE DAY AT SALEM.

A Gloomy Outlook for the Consolidation Scheme.

BILLS THAT HAVE BECOME LAWS.

The Governor Deals Kindly With the Wagon Road Measures.

NOMINATION OF THREE REGENTS.

Dimick Unsuccessfully Opposes the Confirmation of Wallis Nash—The House Passes a Large Number of Bills.

SALEM, Or., Feb. 18.—The senate to-night passed Gilbert's bill amending the charter of Portland, but adjourned before reaching the consolidation bill, which will probably be taken up to-morrow night. The success or defeat of the consolidation bill depends entirely on the Multnomah senatorial delegation, and from the present outlook the chances for consolidation seem poor. If the bill is reached to-morrow night it will not be acted upon so promptly as other incorporation bills have been, but will be referred to the Multnomah senators, who, for some reason, are in the dark with regard to its contents, though they were repeatedly invited to the meetings of the representative delegation when the latter had it under consideration. Senator Mackay thinks the senators will be able to investigate the bill and report on it in one day, but the fact is the bill is being most assiduously rocked to sleep.

An East Portland man, who is a prominent advocate of consolidation, said to-night that there was no hope for the bill, and that he was disgusted. He had a talk with one of the Multnomah senators this afternoon, and was told that many people of Portland did not want consolidation, and was given to understand, too, that an amendment submitting the proposition to a vote of the people would be made to the bill.

Governor Pennoyer has approved Senator Dawson's bill to prohibit the sale of tobacco to minors under 18 years of age, Senator Cauthorn's Agricultural college bill, Senator Fullerton's supreme court bill, and Representative Miller's bill to prohibit the killing of deer for their skins. He has allowed the following bills to become laws without his signature: Senator Raley's bill appropriating $12,000 for a wagon road from Pendleton to Canyon City, Senator Fullerton's bill authorizing the state treasurer to pay Douglas county $10,000 because of the completion of the North Umpqua bridge, Senator Gray's bill appropriating $15,000 to build a wagon road from Olney, Clatsop county, to Greenville, Washington county; Representative Roberts's bill appropriating $12,000 for a wagon road in Coos and Douglas counties; Representative Hunter's bill appropriating $3000 to improve the Wallowa canyon road; Representative Northup's pilotage bill; Representative Layman's bill fixing the state license on spirituous liquors at $400 a year, and on malt liquors at $200; Representative Crook's bill appropriating $10,000 to build a wagon road from Chetco to Port Orford; Representative Maxwell's bill appropriating $10,000 for a Tillamook county wagon road; Representative Fell's bill appropriating $10,000 for a wagon road from Heppner to Monument.

Governor Pennoyer this afternoon sent to the senate the names of J. W. Grimm, of Aurora; Wallis Nash, of Corvallis, and F. A. Bailey, of Hillsboro, to be regents of the State agricultural college, as required by the bill appropriating about thereby $35,000 for the support of that institution. Grimm and Bailey were confirmed without trouble, but objection was raised to Nash and he failed to get the votes of Dimick, Fullerton, Wait and Looney. His nomination was confirmed, however.

Dimick led the opposition to Nash. "I am getting tired of having this Agricultural college run by merchants and railroad officials," he said; "it should be run as an agricultural college."

"I would like to inform the gentleman," said Cauthorn, "that Nash is a farmer and that he is also a member of Willamette grange."

"That does not raise my estimation of him," retorted Dimick.

Replying to the accusation that Nash was a railroad manager, Chandler said that Nash's qualification for one position should not disqualify him for another.

Speaking about his opposition to Nash, Dimick afterward said:

I have handed Governor Pennoyer many petitions against the appointment of Nash, yet he named him. The farmers of the valley do not want Nash for regent. He is about as well qualified for that position as hell is for a powder house. I only wish now that I had another chance to vote on the agricultural college bill. I would vote against it. It has been stated that the college cannot get along without him. The college will never amount to anything while he is in it.

The senate also confirmed the following appointments of officers of the National Guard: J. M. Siglin, of Marshfield, brigadier general; J. C. Shofner, Portland, adjutant general; M. E. Freeman, Portland, inspector general; J. T. Bowditch, of Ashland, judge advocate general; A. L. Saylor, of Lexington, surgeon general, and Robert A. Miller, of Jacksonville; J. H. Raley, of Pendleton; E. R. Holcomb and R. W. Mitchell, of Portland, aides-de-camp. The senate took a recess to congratulate Senator Raley, one of the appointees.

The house was in good humor after its Sunday rest, and the first thing after reassembling Bean of Umatilla moved to reconsider the vote by which Condon's bill to create a board of horticulture failed to pass last Friday. The motion to reconsider was carried and the roll was again called. This time the bill passed by a vote of 34 to 24. Several members of the house have stated that the editorials in THE OREGONIAN since the former vote on the bill caused them to realize the benefits which such a law would bring to the fruit-growers of the state, and occasioned the change in their votes. The friends of the measure believe it will meet with little opposition in the senate.

The board which this bill proposes to create will consist of six members, who shall be appointed by the governor, one from the state at large and one from each of the five districts. The first district shall comprise the counties of Multnomah, Clackamas, Yamhill, Washington, Columbia, Clatsop and Tillamook. The second district shall comprise the counties of Marion, Polk, Benton, Linn and Lane. The third district shall comprise the counties of Douglas, Jackson, Klamath, Josephine, Coos, Curry and Lake. The fourth district shall comprise the counties of Wasco, Morrow, Gilliam and Crook. The 5th district shall comprise the counties of Umatilla, Union, Baker, Wallowa, Malheur and Grant.

The members shall reside in the districts for which they are appointed. They shall be selected with reference to their study of, and practical experience in horticulture, and industries dependent thereon, and hold office for a term of four years, provided that three of the board, first appointed, to be determined by lot, shall retire at the expiration of two years. The board is authorized to employ a secretary and elect from its members a treasurer, who shall give bonds of ten thousand dollars. The board is given full power to eradicate fruit pests wherever found. Four thousand dollars is annually appropriated for the expenses of the board.

The success of the above bill emboldened Haskell to seek reconsideration of his bill to appropriate $10,000 to aid the county court of Baker county, to construct a wagon road from Huntington down Snake river, to the mouth of Connor creek. Thompson made a motion to reconsider and it was carried.

Haskell again addressed the house in behalf of his measure, and when a vote was taken there were two more than the necessary majority.

There seems to be no end of wagon road bills. Both houses began passing them the first of the week, and both houses are still at it. Napton's bill to appropriate $10,000 for a wagon road bridge over the Owyhee river in Malheur county failed to pass in the house, but to-day exactly the same bill came up in the shape of a message from the senate, it having passed that body. The bill was upon the calendar, and unless Mr. Napton can secure two-thirds of the house to suspend the rules, it is likely not to be reached this session, in which case Mr. Napton will prove the exception to the general rule regarding the getting of appropriations.

The senate also sent in another wagon road bill for the house to consider, one which appropriates $10,000 for a road from Medford to Jacksonville It is not at all likely that the sergeant at-arms will have to be sent after the democratic members from Jackson county to get them to vote on this bill.

The senate bill to amend the charter of McMinnville, which had been referred to the Yamhill county delegation in the house, was reported back to-day with an amendment providing that the city may issue bonds to the amount of $20,000 for the purpose of constructing water works. An effort was made to have the bill made a special order for 8 P M, but Apperson objected strongly to considering any bill until the roll call on pet measures had been concluded The charter bill, therefore, went to the calendar. The order of business, as insisted upon by Apperson, was then proceeded with.

Myers, who was away on Saturday, when his turn came now called up his bill to protect contractors, sub-contractors and laborers in their claims against railroad companies. He explained that the county which he represented (Linn) was strongly in favor of this bill. The contractors of the Oregon Pacific had finished their work, obtained the money from the railroad company and then fled the country without paying the subcontractors and laborers. The citizens of Albany had lost a good deal of money in this way He had no hesitation in saying $25,000 would not satisfy their claims Contractors, under the provisions of this bill, would be obliged to give bonds that all claims against them would be paid.

Some objection was made to the bill, on the ground that it would drive out small contractors. However, the bill passed—53 to 5.

Parker called up Senator Gray's bill, authorizing the Astoria & South Coast Railway Company to construct a bridge over Young's bay There was no opposition whatever to the measure, and it passed, fifty-six members, all who were present, voting in the affirmative

Paulsen named his own bill to provide for holding agricultural institutes. The bill was passed—43 to 11. It authorizes the board of regents of the State Agricultural college to hold institutes for the instruction of citizens of this state in the various branches of agriculture at such times and places as the board may direct One thousand dollars is appropriated annually for this purpose.

Pope called up his bill to regulate the practice of medicine and surgery in this state. It provides a state board of examiners, who shall issue certificates to physicians and surgeons entitled to practice. Itinerant vendors of patent medicines, etc., must pay a license fee of $100 per month

Dr Fisher of Multnomah said this was a bill for the protection of the people from quacks. The bill passed—49 to 11.

Powell's bill to create the office of county road supervisor in each county of the state, and making these offices elective, to be filled at each general election, was supported by the Multnomah members, but there was considerable opposition from outside counties, and the bill failed to pass by a vote of 24 to 34.

Price secured the passage of his bill to create the office of recorder of conveyances in Clackamas, Clatsop, Umatilla, Union and Jackson counties. It simply amends the law already in the code, by adding these counties to those of Linn, Marion, Washington and Yamhill, each having the required 1200 voters.

Rickers called up Senator Fullerton's bill, empowering county courts to establish, maintain and operate ferries across streams where it is necessary to complete county roads. The purpose is to maintain ferries at the county expense, when the business done by them will not pay private persons to operate them. The bill passed without much opposition.

Roberts called up Bean's bill, which provides for the publication in the nearest newspaper of general circulation of all county road notices Bean spoke in behalf of the bill He stated that many legal gentlemen were of the opinion that the mere posting of notices, under the present law, was not sufficient and that in case of contest it would be necessary to bring proof that such notices had remained posted during the entire time required by law. If such was the case all that was necessary for one who was opposed to the establishment of a road would be to tear down the notices. If the law was changed, as his bill proposed, the purpose of making publication of road notices would be much better effected. The bill then passed.

Roe asked for the consideration of Senator Norval's bill for the relief of Union county. The amount of relief desired is $1157 72, which has been paid into the state treasury on account of erroneous assessment The bill asks that the treasurer of Union county be instructed to deduct this amount from the state taxes now due from that county The relief asked for in the bill was granted by the house

Short, of Clackamas county, who has voted "no" on nearly every question of public importance that has come up in the house this session, had a chance this afternoon to hear nearly every member of the house vote in the same manner on his little bill It was his pet measure, and he had given it the pretty sounding title of "A bill for an act to promote peace and good order in society." The purpose of the bill was to declare any abusive or grossly offensive language a misdemeanor, and punishable in the same manner as provided in cases of assault and battery. The bill was not without merit, but the introducer had antagonized so many members by voting against their measures that it had the appearance of being defeated solely for that reason.

Stafford's bill, which he desired to have passed, and in which he was successful, was one to amend the law relating to the publication of the financial condition of counties. It prescribes the duties of the various county officers in this regard, and fixes penalties for violation of the law.

Strowbridge used his right to secure the passage of Northup's bill relating to the disposition of property by will. The bill is to enact an amendment to the present law by which wills probated in foreign countries may not have to be brought here, but proof of this probating submitted to county courts here may be sufficient. Northup cited a case not long ago of a will which had to be brought from England; and as the English law does not allow a will to go out of the custodian's hands, he had to be brought here at an expense of about $800. The bill passed without dissent.

Thomas asked the house to pass Thompson's bill to protect the nests of the German singing birds which are to be brought to Oregon by the society recently organized in Portland. The bill has been amended so as to include the song birds now in the state There was no opposition, and the bill having good friends in the senate, is likely to become a law

Thompson asked the house to consider Gilbert's bill to confer certain powers upon benevolent and charitable institutions. The bill is in the interests of the two Homes for children in this state, one located at Portland and one at Salem As the law now stands, no matter how long a child is kept at the Home, a dissolute parent may turn up at any time and demand the child, and there is no other way except to surrender the child, though it be its moral ruin. Gilbert's bill provides that after a parent has abandoned a child for one year, the county court may declare that he or she is no longer entitled to the control of his or her offspring and the management of the Home may keep the child, or place it with some one who will legally adopt it. The bill was passed.

Waldo took up a private claim, that of Mrs. N J. McPherson, which had been favorably reported by the committee on claims, although the amount asked was reduced from $1400 to $1000 The following statement of the case was made on the floor of the house: Some years ago W A. McPherson, who is well if not favorably known in Portland, was state printer, and the state treasury being depleted, he was obliged to dispose of warrants at a discount, when he should have been paid cash His wife and children, whom he has long neglected, are in needy circumstances, and the passage of this bill would be only a matter of tardy justice. The bill was passed.

Weed called up Crook's bill for the protection of the fishing industry of the state by the propagation of fish. It provides that canneries shall pay an annual tax, the sum thus raised to constitute a fund to aid in the maintenance and operation of fish hatcheries Considerable discussion ensued, the principal objection to the bill coming from Hahn, of Clatsop, who argued that this would work a hardship upon the cannerymen of Oregon, since no collection of this tax could be made from fishermen of Washington territory. The bill passed, however.

[illegible] called up the bill drawn by the [illegible] of Wasco, and the house passed it. Two agricultural districts are created in Eastern Oregon, one of which will hold an annual fair at Baker City, the other at The Dalles The bill appropriates $3000 annually, $1500 to each fair, to aid in offering premiums.

Wilson called up Crook's bill to improve the State capitol grounds by purchasing additional ground therefor. It makes an appropriation of $5000 to purchase half a block lying directly east of the capitol The ways and means committee, to which the bill had been referred, reported that the price asked for the ground was reasonable and that its purchase would greatly add to the appearance of the state capitol grounds The bill then passed.

Northup, whose name was passed in its turn because he wished to call up a senate bill not yet received in the house, was still unable to do so for the same reason, and took as second choice his own bill in relation to the recording of town and cemetery lots. He explained that under the present system of laying out additions to a town, the people owning the land can run streets in any direction they wish, and, as the city grows, this becomes very inconvenient. His bill provides that when plots are laid out they shall be submitted to the county court which will see that the streets conform in direction to those in the already settled portions of the town The bill passed.

Speaker Smith, who, because of his office, is last on the roll call, stated that when Mr Morelock's name was called he had the kindness to call up The Dalles water works bill, and now he would return the favor by calling for Mr Morelock's bill to establish a uniform course of instruction in common schools The bill made but very little change in the present law and did not commend itself to educators on the floor of the house, and therefore failed to pass

The roll call on pet measures having thus been completed, the house adjourned To-morrow morning the regular order will be third reading of bills in the order in which they are entered on the calendar

Armstrong introduced a joint resolution in the house this afternoon, providing that the fifteenth biennial session of the legislature adjourn *sine die* at 5 P M, on Saturday of this week

Thompson moved to amend by making the time 1 A M of the same day

Gilbert moved an amendment to the amendment that the hour be 12 o clock, noon, and this prevailed The resolution so amended was adopted and sent to the senate for its concurrence. No action was however taken on it by that body to-day It does not meet with favor among a majority of the senators who are in favor of adjourning Thursday night at midnight and it is not improbable that the resolution will be sent back to the house so amended Just how they are to agree on this matter does not yet appear

Senator Mackay's bill, which was to authorize a company, recently organized in Portland, to bridge the Willamette from Pine street, Portland to J street, East Portland, has been quietly laid away to rest in the house It was amended before it passed the senate making the bridge from Oak street to K street, but when it came up in the house it was quickly laid aside by a motion to indefinitely postpone. The bill to authorize the Stark street Ferry Company to build a bridge where it now operates its ferry, has not been heard from since introduced People who frequent that line of travel will continue to ride on the ferry two years more

In the senate this afternoon several attempts were made to take up house bills out of their regular order, but without avail. Such was the fate of Paquet's bill fixing the duties of county school superintendents, and the long assessment and taxation bill Cauthorn spoke strongly in favor of acting on educational bills, but without avail

The senate this afternoon fixed, by resolutions, the per diem of its officers. The chief clerk his first and second assistants, and the reading clerk will be paid $10 per day sergeant-at arms, $6, door keeper, $5, mailing clerk $5 pages $3

Steel's resolution made the per diem of the chief clerk $10, and that of his assistants and reading clerk $8, but the amount was increased on motions by Raley and Fullerton

Steel's bill fixing the salaries of county treasurers, passed the senate this afternoon Nearly every senator had an amendment increasing the compensation of the treasurer of the county represented by him, to offer, and it was some time before the bill was disposed of When it was read the third time, President Simon said "The chair would like to inquire of the senator from Multnomah (Steel), if he recognizes his bill" [Laughter]

"The title is left, and I believe also old Yamhill," said Watts [Laughter]

Chandler's bill appropriating $10,000 to aid Malheur county to build a wagon bridge over the Owyhee river, barely passed the senate this afternoon. The principal objection to it was that it called for the building of a bridge

Stanley's bill appropriating $10 000 for a wagon road from Medford to Jacksonville fared a little better, having three votes to spare. Veatch made a humorous speech in opposition to the bill He said that, believing that all the road bills had been acted upon, he had written to his constituents informing them of this fact, that they might have some peace. He thought this bill was a deliberate, cold blooded attempt on the part of the senate to place him on record as a man not to be relied upon and defeat his return to the senate.

"If the senator wishes to return to the senate two years hence," said the chair, "all he will have to do is to move to Multnomah county and change his politics." [Laughter]

Governor Pennoyer sent a letter to both houses this afternoon notifying them that the commissioners having charge of the arrangements for the celebration of the one hundredth anniversary of the inauguration of Washington at New York, April 30, had urged him to see that Oregon is represented. In the senate Cogswell offered a concurrent resolution authorizing Governor Pennoyer to attend the celebration or send some one to represent the state. The resolution was adopted by both houses.

HOUSE PROCEEDINGS.

Passage of a Large Number of Favorite Measures and Defeat of a Few.

SALEM, Feb 18 —The house was called to order at 2 P M., and prayer was offered by Rev Mr Denton, of Eola

The reading of the journal was dispensed with.

Bean moved to reconsider the vote by which Condon's bill to create a state board of horticulture failed to pass on Friday, carried, 45 to 13. The bill then passed, 34 to 24.

Blundell, chairman of the special committee appointed to investigate the school book question, made a report, which was ordered printed

Geer, chairman of the committee on public buildings, offered a report, ordered printed

Senator Barin's bill regulating the size of the ballot paper to be used at the state elections was read for the first time by title

Senator Barin's bill to provide for the support of married women and compel neglectful husbands to so provide, read twice

Thompson moved to reconsider the vote by which Haskell's bill for a wagon road from Huntington to Connor creek failed to pass, carried. The bill then passed, 32 to 25.

Senator Gray's bill, to authorize the Astoria & South Coast railway to build a bridge across Young's bay passed

Myers's bill, to protect contractors, sub-contractors and laborers in their claims against railroad companies etc, passed

Senate bill to aid Jackson county to build a wagon road from Jacksonville to Medford, read once.

The committee on corporations reported favorably on the bill to amend the McMinnville charter, reported back with amendments adopted

Paulsen's bill to provide for holding agricultural institutes passed.

Pope's bill to regulate the practice of medicine and surgery, passed

Communication from the ladies of the Salem Congregational church, inviting the members to attend the entertainment to-morrow evening, no action

Powell's bill to create a county road supervisor; failed to pass

Resolution that the legislature adjourn *sine die* at 12 o clock noon on Saturday, adopted.

Price's bill to amend the act creating the office of recorder of conveyances in various counties, passed

Senator Fullerton's bill to authorize the county courts to operate ferries on county roads when necessary passed.

Senate resolution authorizing the governor to represent the state, either in person or by proxy, at the centennial anniversary of the inauguration of George Washington at New York, adopted.

Bean's bill to amend section 4064 of Hill's code, relating to county roads, passed.

Senator Norval's bill for the relief of Union county, passed.

Short's bill to promote peace and good order in society, failed to pass.

Recess till 7.30 P. M

EVENING SESSION.

Stafford's bill to amend the law relating to the publication of the financial condition of counties, passed.

Northup's bill relating to the disposition of property by will, passed.

A message from the senate that it had passed Gilbert's bill to amend the Portland charter, with amendments, was referred to the Multnomah delegation

Thompson's bill to protect German singing birds passed.

Gilbert's bill to confer certain powers upon benevolent or charitable institutions, passed.

Armstrong's bill for the relief of Mrs. N J McPherson, passed. It appropriates $1000

Crook's bill for the protection and propagation of fish, taxing canneries therefor, passed.

Williamson called up the bill to aid the Eastern Oregon Agricultural society; passed.

Wilson's bill for $5000 to purchase a half block east of the capitol building, passed.

Northup's bill regarding the recording of town and cemetery plats, passed.

Morelock's bill to amend the school law failed to pass. Adjourned.

IN THE SENATE.

A Number of Incorporation Bills Passed at the Evening Session

SALEM, Feb. 18.—The senate reassembled at 2 P M

A letter was read from ladies of the Congregational church, inviting the senators to attend the entertainment Tuesday evening The invitation was accepted

The committee on public lands submitted a report, without recommendation, on H J. M No 8, by Waldo, praying congress to set aside a public park in the Cascade mountains laid on the table

Raley moved to suspend the rules to allow the Union and Wallowa senators to report on the bill to relocate the county seat of Union county The motion was lost, as it failed to receive a two thirds vote.

RESOLUTIONS

By Steel—Fixing the compensation of the officers of the senate adopted

By Watts—Directing the president to appoint a committee of two to work in conjunction with the clerical force to complete the records and file all papers with the secretary of state adopted

By Carson, S C R No 10—Authorizing the joint committees to fix the compensation of their clerks

By Barin—Authorizing the committees to fix the compensation of their clerks adopted

SENATE BILLS—THIRD READING

By Barin—Making it lawful for a married woman to petition the county court to set aside a part of the earnings of her neglectful husband for the support of herself and children passed

By Fullerton—Authorizing the county judges to grant preliminary injunctions, indefinitely postponed.

By Fullerton—Making writs concurrent with rights of appeal passed

By the Eastern Oregon senators—To create an Eastern Oregon district agricultural society passed.

By Hakin—Requiring warehouse men to keep a complete list of all the articles received on storage passed.

By Fullerton—To authorize the county courts to maintain ferries on the streams crossed by county roads; passed

By Tongue—To license stallions, temporarily postponed.

By Barin—Amending the law relating to elections and ballot paper passed

By Chamberlin—Appropriating $250 for the relief of Fred Yenkee passed

By Stanley—Appropriating $1717 17 for the relief of Jackson county passed

By Steel—Fixing the salary of county treasurers That of the treasurer of Multnomah county is fixed at $2500 annually passed

By judiciary committee—To define the duties and fix the compensation of recorders of conveyances; passed.

By Chandler—Appropriating $10,000 to aid Malheur county to build a wagon road bridge over the Owyhee river; passed

By Stanley—Appropriating $10 000 to build a wagon road from Jacksonville to Medford passed

By Cauthorn—Authorizing J H Lee, John Burnett and P Avery to build a bridge across the Willamette at Corvallis passed

By Stanley—Fixing the compensation of county clerks and sheriffs of Umatilla, Wasco and Crook counties, indefinitely postponed.

By Veatch—Making newspapers sent without orders, gifts, and providing that no debt shall accrue against the receiver of the same, passed

By Mackay—Allowing certain companies to issue mortgages in more than one county passed

By Gray—Authorizing county courts to build armories in towns of over 5000 inhabitants passed

By Watt—Making it a misdemeanor for any person to throw animal carcasses into wells springs or streams used for domestic purposes, passed

By Hilton—To protect public highways, passed

EVENING SESSION

The following house bills were passed

Gilbert's bill amending the Portland charter

Kirk's bill incorporating Athena, Umatilla county

Layman's bill incorporating Woodburn

Powell's bill incorporating Independence.

Hunter's bill incorporating Enterprise

Laughlin's bill incorporating Newberg.

Napton's bill incorporating Vale, Malheur county

Labrie's bill incorporating Oakland

Bowditch's bill incorporating Ashland

Gilbert's bill incorporating Sellwood, referred to the Multnomah and Clackamas delegations.

Bowditch's bill incorporating Medford

Adjourned

ON THE EXCLUSION ACT.

Denis Kearny Reads a Letter From Senator Mitchell to a Sand Lot Audience.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 18 —At a meeting yesterday on what used to be known as the sand lots, Denis Kearny, the anti Chinese agitator, in the course of his open air speech, read a letter which he had just received from Senator Mitchell, as follows

Denis Kearny Esq, San Francisco, Cala.—*My Dear Sir.* I am in receipt, in due course, of your letter of the 15th, in which, after strongly commending the interview with myself on the Chinese question, published in the *Call*, as you say (I have not seen it) on the 15th inst., you state that I hint in that interview that the exclusion act will expire in a few years, or in 1892 and you request my opinion on that question, which I am willing to give cheerfully. If I am reported as making any statement susceptible of such a construction then I am not reported correctly. There is no limit, in my judgment, to the operation of what is known as the Scott exclusion act, except the will of congress Congress can repeal the act. That it will ever do so, except to pass a more stringent and efficient one I do not believe. The United States will never, in my judgment, nor should it take any backward step on this question. I am, very truly yours, JOHN H MITCHELL."

A SERIOUS ACCUSATION.

Governor Waterman Accuses Secretary Fairchild of Conspiring With Mullan.

SACRAMENTO Feb 18.—Governor Waterman to-night wrote and mailed a lengthy communication to Secretary Fairchild, relative to the claims of Captain Mullan as state agent for California, in which the governor sets forth that on February 10, 1888, he revoked Mullan's appointment and notified the treasury department of the fact, but that Third Auditor Williams, replying to the notification, had confirmed Mullan's title The governor states that he at once sent the letter to Secretary Fairchild, protesting against this course, but received no answer

He says: "It was apparent then as it is evident now, that yourself and Captain Mullan have conspired together against the promotion of the best interests of the state and for the purpose of defeating, if possible, my authority in all these matters, to the end that Mullan might obtain possession of any drafts representing moneys appropriated by congress for the benefit of this state, and made payable to me as governor"

NORTHERN PACIFIC ENTERPRISE.

Transfer of the Great Northwestern Company's Telegraph Lines.

MONTREAL Feb 18.—The Northern Pacific Railway has just completed arrangements with the Great Northwestern Telegraph Company, of Canada, by which the American corporation takes all the telegraph company's lines west of Winnipeg and will work them in connection with their own system of wires, which begins at Duluth The transfer by the Great Northwestern Company, of which Erastus Wiman is president, is a part of the general plan the Northern Pacific has of carrying its methods and enterprise into the Dominion. It recently had bills passed in the Quebec parliament, which will give it a system of railroads to the Atlantic ocean in opposition to the Canadian Pacific, and its acquisition of the great Northwestern lines will allow it to still further eat into the Canadian Pacific's business.

CHICAGO, BURLINGTON & QUINCY.

The Passenger Service To Be Cut Down in Iowa to Curtail Expenses.

CHICAGO Feb 18.—The Chicago, Burlington & Quincy road has reduced its passenger service in Iowa to the extent of 8000 miles, and is preparing to still further reduce it. The object is to cut down expenses in the same proportion that the commissioners of Iowa have curtailed the revenues of the road in that state, by enforcing a low schedule of rates Other Iowa roads it is said will take the same step The annual report of the Chicago & Alton railroad for the year 1888 shows gross earnings of $7 511,465 a decrease of $1,429 921, as compared with that of 1887 operating expenses, $4,668,084 a decrease of $602,118, net earnings $2,843,380, a decrease of $827,802.

MUNICIPAL CONVENTION.

The Los Angeles Republicans Hold an Orderly Meeting.

LOS ANGELES, Feb 18 —The republican city convention held here to-day was the most enthusiastic and orderly ever held in Los Angeles. From the opening of the business it was known that Henry T Hazard was to be the nominee of the convention for mayor, although General John L Mansfield and Judge W F Fitzgerald were candidates for the same position When the usual reports of the committee had been received and adopted, Henry T Hazard was nominated for mayor, and unanimously chosen on the second ballot Most of the other nominations were made by acclamation

Huntington Will Withdraw.

NEW YORK, Feb. 18.—C P Huntington will in a short time withdraw from all the roads east of the Mississippi, and retain control of the Southern Pacific road only

Two Assailants Fatally Shot.

CHATANOOGA, Tenn., Feb. 18.—Dick and John Burns were to-day fatally shot by C. A. Quinn, a merchant, whom they had assaulted.

A Chinese Cashier Goes Wrong.

CHICAGO, Feb. 18.—Hing Yon, cashier of S. E. Sok & Co has eloped to Canada with $1500—"Alle same Melican man."

Reputations Made in a Day

Are precious scarce. Time tries the worth of a man or a medicine. Hostetter's Stomach Bitters is a thirty years' growth, and like those hardy lichens that furnish the crevices of Alaska's rocks, [illegible] rheumatism.

NORTHWESTERN NEWS

Trial of a Probate Judge on a Charge of Seduction.

HEAVY FIRE AT EUGENE CITY

The Steamers Miles and Dolphin Sold to the Portland Company—Seattle Mills to Ship No More Lumber to California.

SEATTLE Feb 18.—The case of the territory vs James W Wickersham, probate judge of Pierce county charged with the seduction of Miss Sadie Brantner, was called by Judge Burke in the district court this afternoon, and counsel for the defense immediately filed a motion for a continuance. With the motion were presented the affidavits of defendant of Attorneys Judson and Sullivan of Pierce county, and James H Lewis of Seattle. Defendant believed that he could not have a fair trial Attorney Judson's affidavit was to the effect that the most important witness for the prosecution, Mrs Freeman was quite sick at Tacoma Attorney Sullivan made affidavit that he had conversed with the witness' physician who said that she would not now and might not be able to be present Saturday Attorney Lewis made affidavit that in October and November the Seattle daily papers had given long and sensational accounts of the charges against defendant and had given the side of the prosecution only Feeling in the case therefore, it was claimed in this county is largely if not wholly formed from these accounts, which were very damaging to defendant

Pending a decision, the attorneys for both sides agreed to try the case up to the time when Mrs. Freeman's testimony is needed, and then adjourn till Saturday

The deputy prosecuting attorney then made the opening address to the jury lasting one and one half hours, in which the old tale of woman's wrongs and man's baseness was rehearsed. The court adjourned till to morrow

During the trial defendant was in court accompanied by three members of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union, who wore prominently the white badges of the order

Editor Radebaugh, of the Tacoma *Ledger* and others who are interested in the case are also here

The case has excited a great amount of interest not only from its sensational nature but because startling developments during the course of the trial are promised

HEAVY FIRE AT EUGENE

A Number of Buildings Burned at a Loss of About $5000

EUGENE, Or, Feb 18 The variety theater, owned and run by J W Egan & Co was burned at 5 o clock this morning Several other buildings in the immediate vicinity were also burned It is a clear case of incendiarism The losses are about as follows

Theater and contents, about $1500.

R M Day residence, $600

J B Coleman hotel $2000

George Melson, wagon shop, damage $300

Charles Lauer, barn and damage to residence $800

Day & Henderson, damage to building and stock $100

The theater company had an insurance of $500 R M Day, on residence, $500 Charles Lauer was insured but the Coleman house and barn carried no insurance.

FROM ASTORIA.

The Miles and Dolphin Sold to the Portland Company.

ASTORIA, Feb 18 —J H D Gray and Jacob Kamm have sold the steamers General Miles and Dolphin to the Portland Coast Transportation Company. They will be used by the company on their Portland, Astoria, Gray's harbor and Tillamook route The price paid was $8,000.

Bids for grading and clearing ten miles south of Skipanon for the Astoria & South Coast railroad were opened this afternoon by Superintendent H B Thielson The amounts are not yet summarized, but work will be let on those bids

THE MARKET IS POOR.

Seattle Mills Will Ship No More Lumber to San Francisco

SEATTLE, W T Feb 18 —The mills of Seattle have agreed to ship no more lumber to San Francisco during the coming season The demand there is so poor, and the local demand is so heavy that no money can be made by exporting

NEWS NOTES FROM SEATTLE

SEATTLE W T Feb 18 —The mines at Gilman started up again to-day after having been shut down two weeks for the purpose of making extensive repairs to the coal bunkers.

Fire to-day burned a part of the roof off the building of W. Parry Smith The damage was slight.

It is announced as the intention of the Harrison legion, a republican organization of Seattle, numbering somewhere near 1000 members, to place a party ticket in the field at the next city election, which takes place in June. For a number of years politics have cut no figure in municipal elections, but now the republican party feels strong enough to draw party lines

Some alarm was felt here to-day by the non appearance of the steamer Wilmington which started from San Francisco a week since, and had not been heard from A telegram to-night, however states that she went into Astoria with some freight, and will arrive to-morrow

FROM WALLA WALLA.

Tug Wilson Believed to Be Innocent—Improvement Notes.

WALLA WALLA, Feb. 18.—William Glasford, having returned from Colville, will take possession of and run his planing mill J R. Addison now in charge, has purchased machinery, expecting to erect and operate a large planing establishment alongside the O & W T track on the north side of town.

Tug Wilson, who was brought here from Seattle Saturday, charged with murder, claims an alibi. It is now believed that he is not the man wanted. The principal witness in the case saw the man this morning, and says he is not the man he saw in the neighborhood when the murder was committed. The case is set for Thursday before Justice Whitman

J. J Conlan, one of the guards at the penitentiary, was removed to-day Other changes will occur shortly

A private bank will soon open at Garfield with a capital of $50,000. The proprietors are Levi Ankeny of Walla Walla, J H Bellinger of Colfax, G. Holbrook, Laird Bros., J. C. Lawrence, E W Gragg, B Westacott, R. C. McCooskey and James Waters of Garfield.

At a recent teachers' examination here Misses Rose Dovell of Seattle, Mattie Eggleston of Waitsburg Anna Minnick, Annie E. Payne Mary Kumas, Messrs. Guy Thomas, Frank Bennett, Russell Truitt, received first grade certificates

Judge A. E Mayhew, a member of the Idaho legislature, is here

Hon. H. M. Chase and City Clerk Kelling are both convalescing

The people of Waitsburg are making an effort to have the next territorial institute held there

The ladies of Fort Walla Walla will hereafter receive Tuesdays.

The Walla Walla river and other streams hereabout are full of fine salmon

A remonstrance against changing the name of Centerville to Athens has been sent to the Oregon legislature.

The Oregon Railway & Navigation Company are arranging to build a depot at Adams It is rumored that that road will extend a line across country direct from Wallula to Centerville

A Milwaukee firm is negotiating for property on which to build a large brewery at Pendleton

The Umatilla county teachers examination will occur at Weston shortly

The Northern Pacific elevator here will be 900 feet long, two stories with two towers. It will be what is called a double elevator The company expect to erect fifty two in the Inland Empire this season.

FROM VANCOUVER.

A Portland Man's Purchase—The Street Car Line

VANCOUVER, W T, Feb 18.—G B Markle of Portland, has just concluded the purchase of a strip of land adjoining the city of Vancouver, containing fifteen acres, from W C Hazard for the sum of $15,000 Though thus paying $1000 per acre, it is thought Mr Markle made an excellent bargain

The trustees of the Columbia Land and Improvement Company have accepted the ordinance granting that company the franchise to construct and operate street car lines in the city of Vancouver They have also agreed at once to commence the construction of that portion of the road from the ferry landing of the Portland & Vancouver Railroad Company to the main entry of the garrison, and to Vancouver Heights, the new addition being laid out by the company

FROM OLYMPIA.

Arrival of the Naval Commission—Funeral of Mrs Gale.

OLYMPIA, W. T, Feb. 18.—The steamer Manzanita arrived at the Main street wharf to-day at 1 o clock, having on board the naval commission. A committee met the commissioners on their arrival, and escorted them to the various interesting points around the city To-morrow will be spent in examining sites suitable for the proposed navy yard

The funeral of Mrs. Gale, formerly Adah Wisham, of this city, took place to-day. Deceased was a bright and intelligent girl, and her voice has been heard in public on more than one occasion in Portland.

A RIOT FEARED.

Montana Miners in a Dangerous Mood Over the Non-Payment of Wages.

HELENA, Mont. Feb 18 —There is likely to be serious trouble, attendant with fatal results, in the Castle mining camp if the Cumberland Company does not liquidate their indebtedness to the miners who have been in their employ, but are lying idle on account of the closing down of the property. There came near being a lynching a few days ago, and the miners are worked up to a high pitch of excitement and are in a dangerous mood. The sale of the bullion took place at a time when there was $8000 worth of labor liens on it. The attachments of the other creditors also covered this bullion. When the sale was concluded, after being realized, this money was turned over to the merchant creditors and none was paid to the miners. Naturally the men were furious The manager, King was present and as he started to leave in a buggy some one asked if the miners would be paid He made a reply that still further incensed the men and they made a rush for the buggy, and if King had not whipped up his horses and driven rapidly away he would undoubtedly have been lynched Left to themselves baffled and disappointed and under the influence of whisky a scene ensued which is said to have been beyond description. King was hung in effigy and many fights occurred between the successful and unsuccessful creditors

The situation is critical and there is a possibility of a riot.

FROM COLFAX.

Ferriage Rates on Snake River A Cougar Lassoed—Etc

COLFAX W. T Feb 18—The county commissioners have ordered that rates of ferriage at all points on the Snake river in Whitman county be reduced as follows after March 1 1889 One span of horses or mules or yoke of oxen 75 cents each additional span or yoke 25 cents saddle or pack animal [illegible] cents footman [illegible] cents stallions, jacks and bulls [illegible] horses or cattle per head 10 cents hogs [illegible] cents sheep [illegible] cents

R. G Blair left yesterday morning for Tacoma to attend court He is counsel for [illegible] Simpson the defaulting clerk of the Pacific Express company

Cowboys, while rounding up cattle on Rock creek Saturday, ran across a large cougar among the rocks The boys concluded [illegible] that it would be fine sport to lasso the animal and in a few minutes after a short chase the cougar's head and heels were encircled by two deftly thrown ropes He is securely chained at the camp and measures about nine feet from his nose to the tip of his tail

The first span of the O R & N bridge across the Snake river from the Whitman county side was completed Friday There will be five spans in all.

The steamers Spokane and Almota have resumed traffic on Snake river between Riparia and Lewiston, having pulled out from their winter moorings at the latter place on Friday.

Coeur d'Alene lodge No 12 K of P, of Colfax will celebrate the twenty fifth anniversary of that order on Tuesday evening with appropriate exercises to close with a grand supper and ball

Charles S. Lafollett western passenger agent of the C I, St L & C R R, is in the city

TACOMA STOCK EXCHANGE

The Organization Effected Last Evening—Its Objects.

TACOMA, Feb 18 —A meeting of the board of directors of the Tacoma Real Estate and Stock Exchange was held to night, when the organization was fully effected Arrangements were made for the opening of the exchange on Monday next at 3 o clock in the assembly room of the chamber of commerce, which will be used until the new building to be erected by the exchange is ready for occupation Lieutenant Colonel Gwin Hicks deputy collector of internal revenue, has been chosen secretary and manager, and has given bonds in $10 000 The capital of the exchange is $50 000 The objects are the mutual benefit of the members of the exchange and of the property holders the checking of the tendencies to high prices and the fraudulent marketing of property and preventing a boom like that in Southern California. A uniform system of contracts and commissions is to be inaugurated, and there will be a daily call of the board All the principal legitimate real estate men have joined the exchange

Salem Notes.

Articles of incorporation were filed to-day in the secretary of state's office, by the Interstate Building and Loan Association John W Godfrey, Charles L. Mendel, Neil McMillan, Campbell H Sweeney and Charles B Holmes, incorporators capital stock, $75,000 The principal place of business will be Minneapolis Minn

In the circuit court, the jury in the case against William Holtzclaw, for cutting Robert Knebs at Gervais last Christmas, brought in a verdict this morning of guilty of assault with a dangerous weapon and recommended the prisoner to the mercy of the court Judgment is reserved probably to await the result of the case against Charles Atwood for the same offense, which is now on trial

A Bush purchased to-day a valuable piece of property fronting on Commercial street on the west side between State and Court, and will build a large brick building thereon this season It is forty one and one half feet front

The wife of Professor M G [illegible] is lying dangerously ill, but slight hope is entertained of her recovery

W F Boothby and J J Thompson paid $10 000 for the fifty foot front on Commercial street today, occupied by the *Statesman* office

Victoria Notes

VICTORIA, B C Feb 18.—Sir William Hoste an English lord, who has been in this province a few months to day entered suits for damages of $5000 each against the *Colonist, Times* and *Standard* and against William Angus of this city, for $10 000 damages It is understood that he will also bring action for damages against the Vancouver papers. The writs do not state the cause for the action

While the Umatilla was on her voyage from San Francisco to Victoria the cook and one of the waiters had a quarrel about the opium seizure which had been made The waiter accused the cook of telling the officers the whereabouts of the opium Words led to blows. The waiter seized a knife and stabbed the cook in four places so seriously that he will probably die The waiter was placed in irons, but made his escape on the arrival here although he had two pairs of hand cuffs on.

Albany News Notes.

ALBANY Or Feb 18 —Forty lots have been sold in Hackleman's new addition to Albany since Saturday forenoon Real estate transfers in the city show marked activity

County Treasurer Farwell to-day remitted to the state treasurer a check for $1900 to apply on Linn county's state tax, the total amount of which is $21 500

Rev G McDermot, financial agent of the hospital in Portland conducted by the Willamette university, is in the city, arranging to establish a branch hospital here.

Electric Sugar Swindle.

NEW YORK, Feb. 18.—Now that the parties connected with the recent Friend electric sugar swindle here, have been arrested in Michigan, further developements are promised, Lawson N Fuller, one of the directors of the company, maintains that there is no doubt that Friend's refining process is a genuine, new discovery, and declares that he will put all these folks in the penitentiary unless they disclose the process.

STILL IN CONFINEMENT.

ANN ARBOR, Mich, Feb. 18 —Mrs. Friend and the other electric sugar people are still in jail They will make a strong legal fight against the validity of the papers held by the New York officers.

Resigned Their Places

LITTLE ROCK, Ark, Feb 18 —C T Coffman today presented in the lower house of the Arkansas legislature the resignation of himself and three colleagues, Walker, Dirall and Granberry representatives of Pulaski county, in which nine ballot boxes, containing a large republican majority were stolen from the office of the county clerk last September The committee on elections submitted a report in favor of seating the four contestants, G W Thompson, Colonel H. H. Morehart, J Owens and A. J Rice, republicans, who immediately took the oaths of office and the seats of the four retiring members.

The Deadlock May Soon be Broken.

CHARLESTON, W Va, Feb 18 —In the balloting for United States senator to day, Kenna lost 1 vote and on the second ballot received 49 while Goff received 40 Governor Wilson 1, Sommerville 4, Neal (union labor) 3 with others scattering A rumor is afloat to night that the union labor delegates will vote for Goff for the senate and then make President Carr of the senate governor and stop all the contest proceedings between Fleming and Goff

Death of an Old Knickerbocker

NEW YORK, Feb 18—Nicholas Depeyster, a member of the old knickerbocker family of Depeyster, died at his home in West Fifteenth street yesterday after a long illness He had been confined to his room nearly all the time for three years. He was a direct descendant of Johannes Depeyster. In 1849 he went to California and was successful there, returning a few years later, having accumulated a large fortune.

A Popular Tragedian.

DENVER, Feb 18 —The handsome tragedian Downing, under the management of James H Mack, opened at the Grand this evening to the largest and most cultured audience drawn by any legitimate attraction this season, the receipts being over $1200 Downing met with an ovation and, with the other principal members, was repeatedly called before the curtain.

Another Cable to Mexico.

GALVESTON, Feb 18 —The steamer Faraday has just completed laying 6 6 miles of heavy submarine cable between Contzacoalcos, Mexico and Galveston, Texas, for the Mexican Telegraph Company, thus duplicating its gulf system of cables and insuring more speedy telegraphic communication with Mexico, Central and South America.

A Catholic Pilgrimage

NEW YORK, Feb 19 —A Catholic pilgrimage to Rome and the Holy Land, will start from New York Thursday next It is the first American Catholic excursion to the Holy Land, and therefore much interest is taken in the pilgrimage both by the clergy and laity of the great metropolis.

The Jury Disagreed

INDIANAPOLIS, Feb 18.—After being out since Friday, the jury in the Monroe county 'White Cap' case announced to day for the third time that they were unable to agree and were discharged Eight of the jurors were for acquittal and four for conviction

A Kansas Tragedy.

TOPEKA, Feb. 18.—James Elliston, one of the largest ranchmen in Western Kansas accused his ranch superintendent, C L. Baldy, with undue intimacy with Elliston's wife. Subsequently Baldy shot and killed Elliston

Montana Indians to Return to Canada.

OTTAWA, Ontario, Feb 18.—The half breeds in Montana have been granted permission by the dominion government to bring back to Canada their live stock free of duty. They will return to their old home.

A NASAL INJECTOR, free, with each bottle of Shiloh's Catarrh Remedy, Price 50 cents. [illegible] & Co., druggists.

Union Ticket office removed to 121 First street, corner Washington.

MANY DEAD AND DYING.

A Hartford Hotel Wrecked by a Boiler Explosion.

THE LOSS OF LIFE APPALLING

Twenty five Dead Bodies Removed From the Ruins, and Others Are Still Buried in the Debris—Many Guests Injured.

HARTFORD Conn, Feb 18 —Just before daylight this morning the city was startled by the sound of a terrific explosion and immediately the persons in that section near the capital were further startled by a sound of crashing walls and falling timbers mingled with the screams of women and shouts of men coming from the vicinity of High and Allen streets, which had been the site of the Park Central hotel

Those who hurried to the spot found a huge pile of stone and brick and splintered timbers, from which white clouds of steam arose, streaked and blackened by wreaths of smoke that rapidly grew more dense Then tongues of flames leaped out here and there gradually growing stronger, until the ruin was a roaring heap Cries and groans came from the pile, which made the bystanders sick with horror

The fire department was soon on the scene and many streams of water were directed upon the flames. As daylight came on the helpers at the ruins could see behind it the annex to the building in which were the house servants of the hotel and which was spared. A portion of the tiers of rooms of the main building had remained standing but the partitions were torn away and the rooms opened to the air The floors of many of them had partly given way and tumbled the occupants and furniture upon the confused ruin below The frightened employes were safely taken from the annex by means of ladders.

Finally the flames were mastered by the firemen, and sank down from sight within the ruins, where water hissed and steamed among the hot stones and brick

TAKING OUT THE VICTIMS.

As soon as the ruins were sufficiently cooled, hundreds of willing hands set about the herculean task of removing the immense masonry, and the enormous throng which had by this time gathered waited and worked with breathless suspense.

The first person rescued was George Gaines, a colored porter, who died soon after being taken out Helen Leport, Jennie Decker and Jacob B Turpin were taken out and found to be only slightly injured Rachael Cranner jumped from a window breaking her leg

At 9 o'clock Harris Stiffle, a traveler from Philadelphia, was rescued from beneath the masses of timber with but slight injuries. Near him was found the body of Dwight H Buell, who had evidently been suffocated

By this time the crowd of spectators had increased to such proportions as to greatly impede the work of the rescuers Accordingly the militia was ordered out to aid the police, and rendered excellent service during the day and night, keeping the crowd back in bounds.

By noon telegrams of anxious inquiry were pouring in from every part of the country and the friends of those supposed to be in the ruins were arriving on every train, together with an immense crowd of curious people from surrounding towns

The lower floor of a large wool warehouse was made a temporary morgue, and the bodies were taken there as fast as recovered and an opportunity offered for identification by friends. Those not identified were taken in charge by the city The injured were promptly sent to the hospital.

The recovery of bodies was slow, owing to the immense accumulation of debris but at nearly regular intervals one or two parties were found during the afternoon They were recovered in the order of the list given

AN OVERWHELMING CALAMITY

This catastrophe was devoid of the harrowing details and hairbreadth, thrilling rescues attending an uncontrolled conflagration One terrible crash, smoke, flame, quick, rushing streams of water and all was over For this reason the disaster simply overwhelms The magnitude of the calamity can not be realized In fact, its extent is not yet known The register of the hotel is not yet found, and Mr Perry, the night clerk is buried in the ruins. But from the best estimate that can be obtained from landlords and others, it is probable there were not far from fifty people in the hotel proper Of those perhaps five may have escaped uninjured amid the confusion of the early morning hours which would leave forty five unaccounted for Ten are in the hospital and up to this writing (midnight) sixteen dead bodies have been taken from the ruins leaving nineteen still missing, but there may be more than this.

THE ORIGIN

The cause of the disaster was undoubtedly the explosion of a boiler in the basement. No engineer was on duty at the time, the custom being for the night engineer to "bank" his fire and go to bed He does not sleep in the hotel This engineer Alex Thuer, was arrested this afternoon on an indictment for manslaughter It has been conjectured that Gaines, the colored porter, may have started the pumps, throwing cold water into the overheated boiler, and thus causing the explosion, but this is only conjecture, and Gaines is dead

The force of the explosion was terrific. All the people in that part of the city were awakened by the shock. Huge stones were scattered and iron pipes bent and twisted windows in adjoining buildings and across the street were demolished and panes of glass smashed two blocks away.

It is believed to-night that Mrs Wesson, of Springfield, was in the hotel with her five children and a servant, She has not been seen. If this proves true, the aggregate loss of life would be raised by the addition of these seven victims.

The experiences of the survivors were remarkable, and escapes miraculous Walter M Gay occupied a room adjoining Landlord Ketchum's When he awoke he found the bed sinking with him When it became stationary, he found himself pinned down by the ceiling and timbers in such a manner that he was unable to move, He soon heard the voices of Mr and Mrs. Ketchum, and conversed with them concerning the chances of escape Before they were rescued, the water poured into the ruins by the firemen had nearly covered his face.

THE VICTIMS.

A complete list of the bodies taken out to midnight is as follows

Dwight H. Buell.

George Gaines, colored porter.

George Engler, of Hartford

John W Houston, commercial traveler of Boston

J C Hill, commercial traveler of Buffalo.

Lewis H Bronson, secretary of the Hartford Stone Company, his wife and child

George Ketchum brother of the landlord

Eddie Ketchum, aged 11, son of the landlord

George W Root, commercial traveler from Boston

A S Tilteson, commercial traveler from Cincinnati,

Maximilian Galody, proprietor of the Hartford *Herald*, and his wife

Mrs. Andrew F. Whitney

Two unknown men,

The victims at the hospital are all doing well, most of the injuries being superficial, although all are suffering from chill and exposure.

Some of the bodies of the dead are much disfigured and burned, but the faces of most of them are not injured and bear a life-like expression. Electric lights have been put in around the ruins and the search will be vigorously pushed all night,

THE DEATH LIST INCREASED.

HARTFORD Conn Feb 19 —At 2 A. M the list of dead has been increased to twenty five Eighteen injured are in the hospital, and ten persons are known to be still in the ruins.

THE DOMINION PARLIAMENT.

A Strong Speech by Sir Richard Cartwright on the Treaty Power.

OTTAWA Ont, Feb. 19 —There was a vigorous debate in the house of commons to-day on Cartwright's resolution that Canada should have the right of negotiating her own treaties.

Sir Richard Cartwright made a vigorous speech which annoyed the conservatives exceedingly He said that Canada was driven into a dangerous position in the spring of 1887 with the American people indignant at the treatment accorded American fishermen by the dominion authorities The Canadian government, he said, had taken warning and treated them better since The fisheries question was still a dangerous issue and the Canadian interests could not be trusted in English ambassadors' hands

Minister Forster contended that Canada had all the latitude she required. The resolution was defeated

A NEW INTOXICANT.

Factory Girls Given to the Inhalation of the Fumes of Naptha.

NEW YORK, Feb 18 —The latest female vice is intoxication by naptha. It is not a drink the fumes of it are simply inhaled, inducing, so inebriates say, a particularly agreeable exhilaration Girls in the rubber factories, of which there are a great number in Boston and its neighborhood, are greatly addicted to this novel form of drunkenness. Naphtha is used in quantities to cleanse rubber Its effect on the system, however, when used often is terrible

NAVAL MOVEMENTS.

The Galena Goes to Hayti and the Vandalia to Samoa.

KEY WEST, Feb 18.—The United States steamer Galena, with Rear Admiral Gebhard on board has sailed for Port au Prince.

A telegram received from Rear Admiral Belknap, commander at the Mare Island navy yard, California, says the United States ship Vandalia, arrived at Honolulu February 2d, and was to sail for Samoa on the 7th.

DISASTROUS EARTHQUAKES.

Hundreds of Houses Wrecked, and Thousands of People Left Homeless.

NEW YORK, Feb. 18.—A letter received here, dated San Jose, Costa Rica, January 10, gives additional particulars of the terrible earthquake shocks which occurred there during December and January, as follows

The capital of the republic has been completely destroyed by a series of earthquakes, beginning on the evening of December 29, and the latest of which passed [illegible] yesterday. Further shocks are expected every moment, and the horrors of the [illegible] by the probability of an eruption of the volcanoes of Irazu and Poas, showering down fire, boulders and molten lava on the valley, in which a population of 8000 is centered. Both of these volcanoes have shown signs of growing activity.

As nearly as can be ascertained about 80 lives have been lost thus far and the injured number nearly 1000. A homeless multitude of terror-stricken survivors wander about in a state of demoralized consternation. At every point one is met by scenes of ruin and death. Structures that had once been enduring creations of solid masonry are reduced to masses of rubbish. Many landmarks and many features of the country's topography are obliterated

At 8 o'clock on the evening of December 29, the inhabitants were in the midst of the celebration of a civic and religious feast Everywhere the festive spirit of the season pervaded the city's life. People laughed and chatted all unconscious of the coming danger Suddenly a tremendous shock of earthquake put the city into a state of the wildest alarm People rushed to their homes to provide, so far as possible, for the safety of the children and aged. The dread words, a terrible earthquake is coming, were on every lip. People crowded the roads leading out of the city, away from the dread volcano, and fled until daylight, reaching Alajuela thirty miles away only to find that town suffering from a similar fear

At 11 o clock P M. this same night a second shock occurred. People again rushed from their homes and assembled in the plazas where many threw themselves at full length on the ground, some, kneeling, sent up prayers for their preservation. Children cried piteously, while here and there women screamed and struggled in hysterical paroxysms

At last came a hopeful feeling of relief. "It is over" said the black robed priests, and hope was quickly transformed to conviction The people returned to their dwellings, and sought repose after the excitement of the night.

At 4 30 A M., on the 30th, a third shock, more awful than the preceding ones, aroused the sleepers. The city was violently shaken from end to end, and words fail to picture the terror that ensued Down went houses in the deafening din, with the roofs of heavy tile sagging and sinking between Nearly every house in the central part of the city was abandoned. At least 500 houses were entirely destroyed with their contents, making 3000 people shelterless.

Three more shocks, one on the 7th, another on the 8th, and the last yesterday, have reduced the remaining houses to ruins Army tents have been put up outside the town, where rations are shipped to the homeless by the military authorities.

THE CHICAGO COLLAPSE.

The Damage Much Less Than at First Reported.

CHICAGO Feb. 18—The city commissioner of buildings to-day examined the damaged Owings structure and reports the injury much less than stated yesterday A portion of the tiled flooring, about twenty feet long and six wide, which joined the two main wings of the building, had just been filled in, and was, in the language of the builder, still green This was struck and evidently loosened Saturday afternoon by a heavy iron water tank which was being raised to the roof It gradually worked loose and gave way, carrying the green portion of the floors below it to the basement The commissioner reports that the main structure is not injured in the slightest.

A CYCLONE IN ALABAMA.

Many Persons Said to Have Been Killed and Injured

BIRMINGHAM Ala Feb 18 —It is reported that a cyclone passed through Bibb county fifty miles south of here last night, doing great damage. Several persons are said to have been killed, and many injured It is impossible to obtain full particulars to night.

CASUALTIES IN GEORGIA

ATLANTA Ga, Feb 18 —A cyclone passed over Banks county this morning. Thomas Stevens and son and Mr and Mrs Meadel were instantly killed Another son of Mr Stevens was injured.

STANLEY'S FATE

The Explorer Reported to Have Been Killed in a Recent Fight.

PARIS Feb 18.—A correspondent of the *Petit Journal* at St. Salvador Congo says "A courier has arrived from the West coast, who states that a report is current that Henry M Stanley was killed in an engagement with the natives near Mankamla. The courier reports that several instruments which have been identified as having belonged to Stanley have been sold by the natives."

IT IS NOT BELIEVED.

LONDON, Feb. 18—The evening papers here place no credence in the report that Stanley is killed.

AN IMPRUDENT ATTORNEY.

Wm O'Brien's Counsel Uses Harsh Language and is Ejected From the Room.

DUBLIN, Feb. 18 —Wm. O'Brien was arraigned at Terella to-day on the last summons for offences under the crimes act. During the progress of the case, Healy, O Brien's counsel, called Colonel Turner a sneak. The magistrate demanded that he retract. Healy refused and was forcibly expelled from the court room. The court then abruptly adjourned.

THE ENGLISH NAVY.

A Proposition to Expend £100 000 000 in Improvements

LONDON, Feb 14 —It is reported that at the coming session of parliament the government will propose a defense loan of £100,000 000 the proceeds to be devoted to the construction of twenty men-of war, fifty cruisers, and increasing the torpedo boats.

Against the Panama Company.

PARIS, Feb. 18.—The Tribunal of Commerce, before which the application was made to declare the Panama Canal Company bankrupt, on the ground that it is a commercial company, has decided that it is a commercial company, thus upsetting the Panama's plea, based on the recent decision of the tribunal of Seine, that it is a civil concern and that the tribunal of commerce had, therefore, no jurisdiction in the matter

Address by Archbishop Walsh.

DUBLIN, Feb. 18—Archbishop Walsh delivered an address to the pupils of the Catholic school today In the course of his remarks, he said the government ought to treat the Irish Catholics in a more liberal manner and place their colleges on an equality with other colleges, but that it appeared that legislation on the subject, could not be expected, unless the demand was backed up by open resistance to the law.

Germany's Policy the Right One.

BERLIN, Feb. 18.—The *Cologne Gazette* says it thinks the "white book" on Samoan affairs, recently issued by the government, bears striking testimony to the wisdom and moderation of Prince Bismarck It holds that the reports of the German consul at Apia prove that the action of the Americans was illegal and overbearing, and that the policy of Germany was bringing peace to Samoa.

The New French Cabinet.

PARIS, Feb 18.—De Freycinet has declined to join the cabinet which Meline is attempting to form.

Meline recognizing the impossibility of forming a cabinet on the basis of the concentration of the several republican groups, has abandoned the attempt. It is expected that President Carnot will appeal to Rouvier to form a ministry.

Famine in Russia.

ST PETERSBURG, Feb. 18.—Famine prevails in the interior of Russia. Distress is the greatest in Orenburg, where many persons are dying of starvation Crops have been bad in the afflicted districts for the past four years.

In Favor of Edison.

LONDON, Feb 18.—A decision was handed down by the appeal court, upholding the electric light patents of Edison and Swan against other patents, thus reversing the decision of the lower court.

Insanity of The King of Bavaria

LONDON Feb 18.—A dispatch from Munich says King Otto of Bavaria has been proved without a doubt to be hopelessly insane.

The King of Holland Has a Relapse

THE HAGUE Feb 18.—The king of Holland has had a relapse. His condition is critical

William and Bismarck

BERLIN, Feb 18.—The emperor gave a protracted audience to Bismarck to-day

Another Relapse

LONDON Feb 18 —John Bright has suffered another relapse

A SERIOUS BLUNDER.

A Lady Nearly Prostrated by a Patent Medicine.

A lady well known in the Western Addition has been a great sufferer for years with indigestion and dyspepsia. Struck with the testimonials praising Joy's Vegetable Sarsaparilla, she sent for a bottle. The druggist, not having it, talked them into taking another sarsaparilla. As the leading sarsaparillas use mineral blood purifiers, the effect of the emptying of iodide of potash into a stomach already distressingly delicate was disastrous almost prostrating her before the mistake was rectified. She then called upon Mrs. Fowler, of 327 Ellis street, whose name was among those cured by Joy's Vegetable Sarsaparilla. Mrs. Fowler said it was true that it had cured her. Again reassured, the vegetable compound was sent for and gotten. The gentle action of its vegetable stimulants upon the liver, kidneys and digestive organs, and its warm stomach tonics, were the very things needed, and she began improving and was her old self within a fortnight. This sounds like fiction, but the names can be given if necessary —*San Francisco Examiner.*

Joy's Vegetable

One pint of the pure juices of vegetable alteratives indigenous to California, combining the most effective liver and kidney remedy, blood purifier, stomach regulator and vegetable [illegible]

Sarsaparilla

STORE AND BAR FIXTURES

181 GORDON, [illegible], 181 Third, [illegible]

THE NATIONAL CAPITAL

Filibustering Over the Sullivan-Felton Contest.

THE OKLAHOMA BILL REPORTED

An Important Decision Concerning Indian Land Scrip—Klein's Offer to Testify Declined—A Democratic Caucus Failure.

WASHINGTON, Feb 18—In the house Dunn, of Arkansas, from the committee on merchant marine and fisheries, called up the bill to provide for better protection of the seal and salmon fisheries in Alaska. After discussion the bill was recommitted, with instructions to the committee to report it back with an amendment reducing from twenty to ten years the term of lease of seal fisheries, and authorizing any person to bring suit against the lessees to recover $100 for every seal taken in excess of that fixed by law

Crisp then called up the Sullivan Felton California election case.

McKenna of California raised the question of consideration. On a rising vote the republicans out voted the democrats, 78 to 74, and the yeas and nays were ordered. Then the body of the republicans refrained from voting, and left the house without a quorum

A vote upon the taking up of the election case was taken standing, yeas [illegible], nays 12. The call of the house was ordered Two hundred and forty three members responded to their names. Further proceedings under the call were dispensed with, and a vote was again taken on the consideration of the election case Again the republicans refrained from voting Again the absence of a quorum was developed, the vote standing, yeas 135 nays 6, and again a call of the house was demanded by Crisp

The call was ordered and pending this on motion of Crisp, a resolution was adopted directing the sergeant-at-arms to telegraph for absent members.

Then Crisp called attention to the fact that the republicans, who last week were so anxious to proceed to one election case, were now filibustering against the consideration of another case

Reed of Maine suggested that last week the republicans had had some confidence in this tribunal, but that that confidence had been lost. The house then adjourned.

The clerk announced that the proposed democratic caucus would not be held this evening, having been postponed for the present, an announcement which called forth sarcastic laughter from the republicans.

SENATE PROCEEDINGS.

The Oklahoma Bill Reported—The Texas Political Outrages.

WASHINGTON, Feb 18—In the senate Vest moved to reconsider the vote by which the conference report on the direct tax bill was agreed to Saturday, and said the object was to give his reason for opposing the bill. After a discussion the matter went over and a message was sent to the house requesting the return of the bill.

In connection with the vote of thanks to the people of Michigan for the presentation of a statue of Lewis Cass, Palmer delivered a eulogy on that statesman

Cullom, from the committee on territories, reported back the house bill to organize the territory of Oklahoma, and it was placed on the calendar on motion of Cullom who gave notice that he would call it up for action as soon as possible

Butler, a member of that committee, presented a substitute as representing the views of the minority

Platt, another member, said that he did not agree with the majority of the committee, but would support the resolution presented by Butler

Sherman gave notice that he would to-morrow move to proceed to the consideration and disposition of the conference report on the direct tax bill.

Frye asked the presiding officer what was the position of the Union Pacific funding bill, and was told that, by a vote to take up the pending resolution, reported from the committee on privileges and elections, it had been displaced from its order before the senate.

Hoar said that he was quite sure every member of the committee on privileges and elections would be willing, the senator from Maine having been absent on account of domestic affliction, to have his bill restored to all its rights, and that it should lose nothing whatever by the elections resolution having been taken up.

Frye then said that there would be a meeting of the Pacific railroad committee to-morrow morning, and that it would then be determined whether or not he would ask for the restoration of the funding bill to its place.

THE TEXAS OUTRAGES.

The senate then resumed the consideration of the Texas outrages resolution and Coke began his fourth days argument against it. He declared that he had no excuse, or palliation, or justification for the raiding of the ballot boxes in Washington county, but he did not condemn it more strongly, or regret it more sincerely, than did the people of that county and he did not say that the ballot boxes were raided in every section of the United States, but he did say that bribery, bold and unblushing, did prevail in every section of the country, except in the South, where they did not have any money to buy each other with, and yet he had heard of no congressional investigation into bribery in the last election Two indictments, he was told, had been found in Indiana for bribery, those indicted being republicans but no senator had risen and asked for an investigation there

Coke referred to the alleged use of millions of dollars in Indiana New York and Rhode Island in the last election Who would charge the people of any of those states with complicity in those crimes, and why should the people of Texas and of the whole South be held responsible for a single abuse in a single county in the South? There was more muscle than money, and there was no bribery there, while in the North there was more money than muscle, and there was no violence there It was force in the South It was fraud and bribery in the North Of the two crimes, bribery was the most dangerous and the most difficult to provide against. As to the hanging of three negroes at Brenham Coke declared it to have been the work of an irresponsible mob. The race question could not be settled by statute The people of the south should be let alone. If he had to say how the race question was to be settled, he would repeat what the senator from Ohio (Sherman) was represented in the newspapers a few days ago to have said, and that was to let the people of each state attend to the matter themselves. If the people of the South were let alone, if no aid and comfort were given to the agitators who disturbed the public peace in that section the race question would be settled quicker than was supposed

At the close of Coke's speech the resolution was laid aside, and Allison, from the committee on appropriations, reported back the sundry civil appropriation bill with amendments, and gave notice that he would call it up to-morrow

The house bill to provide for taking the eleventh and subsequent censuses was passed, and the senate adjourned.

THE CASE OF THOMAS FISTER.

The Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds Hold a Secret Session.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 18—A full meeting of the senate committee on public buildings and grounds was held to-day, to consider the case of witness Thomas Fister, chief clerk of the supervising architect's office of the treasury department, who last week refused to answer certain questions regarding the collection or receipt of political contributions from the employes in the office when asked by the sub-committee

At the meeting to-day witness was given another opportunity to answer, but again refused The committee thereupon went into secret session, but just what has been determined upon has not yet developed. It is reported that the matter will probably be settled in the senate some time to-day and it is the impression that Fister will be arrested and brought before the bar of the senate for contempt

There was presented to the committee to-day the letter of John A Dix, secretary of the treasury in 1861, to Speaker Pennington, one of the inclosures of which was his famous order containing the words "If any man hauls down the American flag, shoot him on the spot Another inclosure in the same letter referred to the voluntary surrender of the revenue cutter Robert McClellan by the refractory witness, then Thomas B Fister of the revenue cutter to the state of Louisiana, for which act he was dismissed from the service He served with the Confederacy through the war although a native Pennsylvanian.

KLEIN, THE CORRESPONDENT

He Will Not Appear to Testify Before the Senate Committee at Present.

WASHINGTON Feb 18—Mr Klein the American newspaper man, whose adventures in Samoa has been the subject of international comment will not appear before the senate committee on foreign relations, at least for the present

He telegraphed Secretary Bayard upon his arrival in San Francisco and suggested that he be summoned to testify concerning matters in Samoa but the secretary was advised that the committee did not deem it politic or polite to take any further steps in the Samoan matter pending the result of the conference to be held in Berlin

A CAUCUS FAILURE.

There Was an Impression That Party Discord Might Be Disclosed.

WASHINGTON Feb. 18—The requisite number of signatures for a democratic house caucus to-night has been secured It is believed it will decide to work for the reduction of the repeal of the tobacco tax Some representatives of the tobacco states will refuse to abide by the caucus decision

THE CAUCUS ABANDONED

The proposed democratic house caucus for to-night has been abandoned There was an impression that it might result in the disclosure of discord in the party

CONCERNING INDIAN LAND SCRIP

The Secretary of the Interior Renders an Important Decision.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 18—The secretary of the interior to-day rendered a decision in the case of Joseph W. Allen et al., of Glendive, Montana, against Lewis Merrill et al., involving the important question of the validity of the locations of the Sioux Indian half-breed scrip. The defendants in this case located Sioux scrip upon unsurveyed public land, as attorneys in fact for the Indians, and, under the same powers of attorney, made the improvements required by law.

The protestants maintained that locations so made were invalid and illegal, on the ground that it was not shown that the improvements were made for the benefit of the Indians, as required by law.

The secretary, in his decision, sustains the protestants, and holds that the locations as made were, in effect, the result of the sale and transfer of scrip, which is in direct violation of the law

It is said at the interior department that the decision will affect the titles to large quantities of land immediately adjacent to towns on the Northern Pacific railroad in Montana, Minnesota and Dakota, upon which scrip of the character described has been located, and the lands sold as town lots A large number of cases are now pending in the general land office, which will also be affected by this decision

THE NAVY DEPARTMENT.

A Report that Congressman Thomas, of Illinois, Has Been Chosen.

WASHINGTON, Feb 18—Reports from Indianapolis to-day are to the effect that Congressman John R. Thomas, of Illinois, has been selected for secretary of the navy, Thomas declines to confirm or deny the truth of the rumor To friends he said that a telegram was received in Washington last night from Secretary Halford, saying that he had been selected. Cullom telegraphed to Harrison this afternoon that if the report was true it would please him

"LIBERAL FAITH."

At the annual meeting in Boston of the Unitarian Club a letter was received from Dr Oliver Wendell Holmes, who was too ill to be present in which he said "It would have given me great pleasure to meet my friends of the Liberal Faith, as Unitarianism used to be called Our neighbors of different denominations are getting so liberal that they will have to find a new term before long to distinguish their churches As the dawn of the twentieth century begins to lighten up the eastern horizon we can discover great bodies of those whom we have always considered our theological adversaries wheeling silently around in our direction without breaking ranks or changing their colors Who wants them to? We and the rest of the world can afford to wait There are vast armies fighting the battles of righteousness under the different symbols, armed with different weapons Some we may say, speaking figuratively, are equipped with bows and arrows the arrows drawn out of old bodies of divinity,' which ought to have been buried long ago, some with rusty swords some with matchlocks, some with flintlock muskets loading at the muzzle, provided with logical iron ramrods to ram down a wadding of torn out texts What, then, shall we not be glad to see them doing battle on our side and at our side, even though they have not our improved breech loaders?

I am thankful that there are born controversialists, and that I am not one of them There was a time in which I, among the rest, felt bound to protest in the name of humanity and of common sense against certain doctrines I had heard preached in my tender years I had to suffer for it In fact, I had to undergo martyrdom in newspaper paragraphs What a change in religious sentiment and temper since thirty years ago If one who has thought out for himself a creed differing from that of his father had thought it necessary in those days to defend himself he might have suggested that a child commonly has a mother as well as a father, and that the harshest doctrines passed through the moral constitution of a woman and especially of a mother, and come out as different from what they were when they went in as the vaccine vesicle is from confluent smallpox Remember the part which women like Mrs Stowe and Mrs Phelps and more recently Mrs. Ward and Mrs Deland, have taken in the work of startling the heathenized churches out of their hideous dreams I venture to copy a few lines from one of my poems, written nearly twenty years ago

Not from the sad-eyed hermit's cell,
Not from the conclave where the holy men
Glare on each other, as with angry eyes
They battle for God's glory and their own,
Till, sick of wordy strife, a show of hands
Fixes the faith of ages yet unborn—
Not from these the listening sounds can hear
The Father's voice that speaks itself Divine,
Love must be still our master till we learn
What He can teach us of a woman's heart
We know not His, whose love embraces all

WASHINGTON'S INAUGURATION

Elaborate preparations are in course of organization for the last of the series of continued celebrations the hundredth anniversary of Washington's inauguration as president of the United States in New York city April 30 1789 On the 13th of September 1788 congress passed a resolution directing that the choice of electors of president and vice-president should take place on the first Wednesday of January, 1789 that they should meet in their respective states on the first Wednesday in February and give in their votes and that the new congress should meet in New York on the first Wednesday in March The constitution provided that 'each state shall appoint in such manner as the legislature thereof may direct, a number of electors, ' etc The legislatures appointed the electors and they all cast their votes for Washington when the colleges met early in February

Washington was thus elected president for four years from the time fixed for the establishment of the government, which was the first Wednesday in March—in 1789, the fourth day of the month But he did not become president on the 4th of March It was not until the 6th of April that a quorum appeared in the senate, and meanwhile of course nothing could be done On that day John Langdon a senator from New Hampshire was elected 'President for the sole purpose of opening and counting the votes for president of the United States," the house accepted an invitation to appoint tellers and join the senate, the president opened and counted the votes, and Washington was declared elected

It was eight days later before Washington then at Mount Vernon received a communication duly notifying him of his election On the 16th of April he set out for New York

After his arrival his inauguration was delayed several days while congress debated the form or title by which the chief executive should be addressed A committee of both houses finally agreed upon a report which was ratified by congress, that the address should be simply "the president of the United States"

About noon on the 30th of April Washington was escorted to the old city hall in Wall street, where congress held its sessions, and he took the oath of office on the balcony in front of the senate chamber, the spot being now marked by the statue erected a few years ago returning to the senate chamber to deliver his inaugural address Afterward he proceeded with the whole assemblage on foot to St Paul's church where prayers suited to the occasion were read by a bishop of the Protestant Episcopal church who had been appointed one of the chaplains of congress. In the evening there were brilliant illuminations and fireworks

This is the full story how Washington became president in New York and how his first term lacked nearly two months of four years

Money, Bonds, Taxes.

Salem Capital

Money used for any purpose cannot be said to be taken out of the wealth and lost or sunk Bonds sold to raise money for certain purposes are spoken of as taking wealth out and losing it to the public if the bonds are not taxed This is not so as a little reflection will prove For no sooner is the money expended in labor or products of former labor, than it continues to enable labor to amass more taxable products And the more rapidly the labor is set at work the more rapidly taxable wealth increases

Will Play With a Kansas Hoop Pole

Kansas City Star

When Mme Janauschek fills her date this season at Emporia in the role of Meg Merrilies as a graceful and delicate expression of the attachment which she cherishes for the place growing out of a real estate deal which the illustrious tragedienne made there some years ago she will lay aside the regular property stick and use for a staff a young hoop pole cut from the Cottonwood bottoms It is believed that this of itself will prove enough of a card to fill the house

A Fatal Defect.

Lowell Citizen

Civilian—What do you think of the new dynamite cruiser, the Vesuvius?

Naval Officer (dubiously)—Well, she's a pretty fair sort of a vessel.

Civilian (testily)—Why, what's the matter with her?

Naval Officer—The cruiser is swift enough and all that sort of thing, but I give you my word as a gentleman that her dancing accommodations are simply wretched, shamefully inadequate.

Pullman reservations made for all points East via the Northern Pacific Railroad. Office, No. 121 First St., corner Washington.

CABINET SURPRISES.

A Belief That the Slate Has Been Completed.

SPECULATION AT INDIANAPOLIS

Governor Proctor, of Vermont, Believed To Be a Winner—The Pacific Coast Will Probably Take a Back Seat

CHICAGO Feb 18—An Indianapolis dispatch has been received here, purporting to give a complete list of the members of the cabinet There does not seem to be any authority for the dispatch, and it is given for what it is worth

It is as follows It is now stated that General Harrison will not announce his cabinet until the day of inauguration There is no doubt that all of the positions have been decided upon The cabinet now stands as follows State Blaine treasury, Windom war Rusk postmaster general, Wanamaker, navy Thomas of Illinois interior, J W Noble of Missouri agriculture Warner Miller attorney general W H Miller, of Indiana, Harrison's law partner

A HARMONIOUS OPINION

INDIANAPOLIS Feb 18—The speculation as to General Harrison's probable cabinet still continues to be the engrossing theme in political and journalistic circles Efforts to name the complete cabinet are widely variant, especially as to the portfolios of the interior justice and agriculture There is however a harmonious opinion as to the other five portfolios scarcely any one being found now who is willing to gainsay the present conviction that Blaine will be secretary of state Windom secretary of the treasury Rusk (Wisconsin) secretary of war Thomas (Illinois) secretary of the navy and Wanamaker postmaster general There is pretty good foundation for coupling General John W Noble of St Louis, for the interior secretaryship and the persistence with which the name of W H Miller of this city is being coupled with the attorney generalship causes many to believe that the report has real foundation But the best authorities give the department of justice to Judge Estee of California Nearly all of the cabinet makers for some reason have Warner Miller's name on the slate for the new agricultural portfolio and not a few give also, ex Senator Platt one of the coveted seats

Among the callers on General Harrison to-day were ex Governor Redfield Proctor, of Vermont who is en route home from California John W Dinsmore and J H Cheney, of Bloomington, Ill, and Colonel J H Smither of New Mexico

PROCTOR ON THE SLATE

At a late hour to-night it is learned that since the long talk to-day between Governor Proctor of Vermont, and General Harrison certain and well informed gentlemen have slated Mr Proctor for secretary of the navy in place of Congressman Thomas of Illinois The superior qualifications of Thomas for this position by reason of strong and valorous service in the committee on naval affairs is conceded but the meager representation in the East, together with the fact that Thomas's appointment would necessitate a special election in his district are being used as arguments why the portfolio may go to Vermont

Another important cabinet rumor late to-night is that W O Bradley, of Kentucky, has been tendered and has accepted the attorney generalship. Nothing can be done to verify these reports to-night however

WILL THE COAST BE REPRESENTED?

WASHINGTON Feb 18—Nothing has been heard by any of the Pacific coast senators or representatives about the appointment of any Californian to the cabinet The fact that General Harrison has not invited expression of opinion regarding any of the persons whose names have been suggested to him for appointment, is regarded by some members of the delegation as indicating that no one from the Pacific coast will be chosen There are others who think the president is determined to have a representative of the Pacific coast in his cabinet, and having decided on the man has not wished to consult about the appointment

The position of the delegation on this question is perfectly neutral They would be satisfied with the appointment of any capable man from the Pacific coast, and especially a Californian and have not pressed the claims of one person against those of another

NOBLE SURE OF THE INTERIOR DEPARTMENT

ST LOUIS, Feb 18—It is reported here to-night, on what is deemed excellent authority that General John W Noble has admitted to his intimate friends that he had not only been offered, but has accepted the cabinet position of secretary of the interior

THE SAMOAN CONTENTION

A Semi Official Statement of the Claims of Bismarck and Bayard

BALTIMORE Feb 18—A Sun special from Washington says The Bismarck correspondence is about to be transmitted to congress The dispatch further says that Secretary Bayard on being shown the cabled dispatch from Berlin saying that the German government was willing to effect a settlement of the Samoan question on the basis of [illegible] official information [illegible] great does not surprise the whole of Mr Bayard's [illegible] of the Samoans He insists [illegible] independence In his original proposition for a conference the [illegible] principle of his suggestions was the maintenance of the government Prince Bismarck accepted Bayard's suggestions as tendered and at the Washington conference which followed the principles enumerated were substantially those given in Commissioner Bates's instructions from Mr Bayard

Germany has recognized these principles as the basis of her negotiations but, during the conference she departed from the opposition and took in a claim for preponderant control England acquiesced, and the conference came to naught, because Bayard would not consent to surrender either the political independence of Samoa or the equal share of the United States in the extra territorial control

It may be that the cable dispatch has not stated the German government's determination fully and that the expected communication from the German foreign office will include Samoan independence among the features of the supposed arrangement

THE QUEEN'S SPEECH

LONDON Feb 18—It is now admitted by persons in her [illegible] confidence that the queen's speech which will be read in parliament next Thursday, will make especial reference to the situation in Samoa and recommend a conference of the accredited representatives of the interested governments for the purpose of settling the disputed questions

COLONEL CLAYTON'S ASSASSINS

A Probability That They Will Soon Be Apprehended.

ST LOUIS Feb. 18—The Little Rock, Ark, *Gazette* says There is but little doubt, from facts that have come to light within the past few days, that the assassins of Colonel John M Clayton are known, and that before long they will be in the clutches of the law The *Gazette* claims that after the arrest of certain citizens of Conway county, for unlawful interference with the federal elections overtures were made to the republican state central committee for a compromise by which the prosecution would be stopped The committee agreed to compromise, but refused to withdraw the reward offered for the arrest of the masked men who stole the ballot box. The representative of the parties at Morrillton returned to that point, feeling that the agreement would be satisfactory, and stating to a friend of Colonel Clayton's in Little Rock that he believed the agreement would save Clayton's life. The parties for whom he has been treating, however refused to comply with the terms, because the reward of $1000 had not been withdrawn Beyond this, nothing is known of the conclusion reached by Morrillton parties but it is certain that on that night two men went from Morrillton to Plummerville

TARIFF REFORM CONFERENCE.

A Meeting To Be Held in Chicago, at Which a Letter From Cleveland Will be Read

CHICAGO, Feb 18—A surprise is in store for the delegates to the American tariff reform conference, which begins its session in this city to-morrow President Cleveland has written a letter, which it is understood makes, at some length positive declarations of his views upon the tariff question and its future as an American policy The letter was written to Corresponding Secretary White, who declines to allow it to be seen to-night, and intimates that it will cause something of a sensation

Aside from this the convention will have plenty of business to consider It seems probable from the tone of the reform already arrived at that an animated contest will occur between those who want absolute free trade, or an approximation to it and those who advocate milder views A new element in the convention will be the single land tax sentiment. The strength of the league is put by the secretary at 1,000 mostly democrats although the organization claims to be non partisan strictly

AUSTRALIA.

Interior Australia was once reported a desert but in 1872 a lake 200 miles long was found at its geographical center, and Sir Samuel Davenport in a recent address at Adelaide, said that the 'travels of Messrs. Lindsay and Tietkens had proven that inner Australia was by no means a Saharan waste and, though now uninhabited it was capable of supporting a large population They found not only wide regions covered with luxuriant grass, but also mineral deposits that are certain to attract attention Almost in the geographical center of the continent Tietkens found several large rivers whose head waters were on the northern slopes of mountain ranges The rivers flowed north, and as far as he traced them he found a great deal of large and valuable timber along their banks. Lindsay's investigation between 18 deg and 24 deg. south latitude resulted in some surprising discoveries. In the McDonnell range of mountains he found garnets and rubies and abundant indications that mining in this region for precious stones will be highly profitable. On Tennant's creek he found gold-bearing quartz in abundance, and he brought home stories of almost boundless pasture lands, of water in abundance.

A great railroad will soon extend across the continent from North to South. This railroad is now in operation for 660 miles north of Adelaide Tracklaying is pushing steadily on and the line is growing southward also from Port Darwin, its northern terminus. An exploring party has just been sent out by the Geographical Society of Australasia to more fully explore this region

OFF-HAND REMARKS.

Men who have horse sense know when to say neigh—*Boston Courier*

A hand to hand affair—courting in the dark—*Burlington Free Press*

Possibly the wall flower might be called the night blooming serious—*Boston Post*

A man convinced (by his wife) against his will is of the same opinion still—mighty still—*Life*

The complaint against the usurer is that he takes too much interest in his business—*Binghamton Republican*

Edith—You seem to grow younger every day I hope you don't think yourself getting old? Hortense—Not so long as the gentlemen offer me their seats in the cars—*New York Sun*

What this country wants more than anything else is more holidays more excuses to lay off from work one day often involving the necessity of laying off the day following to recuperate—*Texas Siftings*

St Peter (sternly) What good did you ever do in the world? Miss McFlimsy—I? Why St Peter! what a question? I am a Christian martyr I danced myself to death at a charity ball—*Philadelphia Record*

Aspiring author—Oh you are so fond of poetry are you not Miss Whipperly? Miss Whipperly—My [illegible] but let us talk of something serious tell me all about the entries for the dog show—*Life*

The minister (with severity)—And so you do not believe everything you learn at Sunday school Richard? Richard No, sir, not everything. The minister My little boy does Richard—Yes sir, I suppose your little boy has to—*Life*

"Boot black—Shine, sir? Countryman (sadly) No sonny them boots ain't been blackened since my poor dear wife died six months ago There ain't much blackin left on 'em but what's there she put on herself"—*Philadelphia Record*

Foreman—We can't set this poem according to copy sir Managing editor—Why not? Foreman—Because the editor in chief has just sent in a leader on woman suffrage that has cleaned out all the exclamation points in the office—*Burlington Free Press*

AN ASPIRING M D

Since Adam's fall a tale to all oft told,
Comes dread disease alike to young and old
And to relieve these sorrows of mankind,
With knowledge deep he stores his eager mind

A lofty aim his heart doth overflow,
Sore grieved is he at every sight of woe
Yet books profound his ardor do not dash,
For well he knows twill fill his purse with cash

Studies of roots and herbs the properties,
Through words long drawn and kin adversities,
Cuts up an arm tears muscles from the bone,
And bids his heart be hardened into stone

Ponders o'er tonics, antidotes and pills,
(His secret thoughts are of prospective bills)
Till every recess in that roomy brain
Is stored with all the book lore twill retain.

Then with his hard-earned parchment in his hand
Sallies he forth into some stranger land,
Upon some unsuspecting to impose
The boundless magnitude of all knows.

Opens an office snug hangs out his sign
And greets the caller rare with smile benign
Talks of the weather fine, and to compose
His fluttered feelings, loudly blows his nose

Feels of the pulse questions with deep intent,
And shakes his head with look of wise portent
Writes out the dose in mystic Latin signs,
A teaspoonful each time before he dines

Gives generous words of sage and sound advice,
And makes an impress altogether nice,
[illegible]
And will he please to call again next day?

[illegible] And give him just due
For he will be to you a friend most true
And this our prayer for him that he may be
A good, brave, honest masterful M D

—*Nomad*

Charlie Mitchell Badly Hurt

LONDON Feb 18—Charlie Mitchell the pugilist, was severely injured Sunday by being thrown from a dog cart.

A man named Charles Lerman residing at Lewiston was recently bitten by a dog and was ill for a short time afterward On Saturday last hydrophobia developed and he died in awful agony

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A fine free hot lunch at Fremann's Annex every day from 11 to [illegible] Oak street

MORE CURES BY DR. DARRIN.

Editor Oregonian It has now been fifteen months since my little brother came under Dr Darrin's treatment for hip disease He was in great pain for a long time before going to the doctor and had to be carried into the doctor's office The treatment consisted of electricity and medicine He is now well and has been for months My father's name is David Ross and he resides at Woodland W T Refer to me at Merchants' Hotel, Portland

MISS MOLLIE ROSS

Sciatic Rheumatism Cured

Editor Oregonian—*Dear Sir* For one year prior to going under Dr Darrin's treatment I had been painfully afflicted with neuralgia and sciatic rheumatism Under Dr Darrin's electric and medical treatment I consider myself cured I am a resident of Hillsboro Or, and can be referred to

E I McNILLEY

Dr Darrin submits the following remarkable cures as cured by him

Wesley Graves, formerly proprietor of the Chemeketa hotel Salem Oregon, now residing at Gervais Oregon cured of sciatic rheumatism and the opium habit

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THE LAST STAGE COACH.

An Account of the Last Coach's Last Departure From Walla Walla.

Charlie Potter's Pathetic End—He Wanted to Die When He Left the Road—Reminiscences of Men and Events Gone By

Marion D Egbert in Seattle Sunday Budget.

WALLA WALLA, Feb 10

Walla Walla is loth to give up her old time manners and customs Nor has she given up any of the things socially or unsocially that have given her a reputation for peculiarity that has become a part of her history and which was laid in her foundations built in her superstructure and strengthened by careful nursing through all the long years since the building of her walls The old stage coach that teetered, jogged rocked and rattled up, down and across the bright valley hereabout over the wild mountains to the far valleys beyond to the cities and towns that within them lie and which vehicle was the representative of all that was gallant and brave and therefore heroic in the days of brave and heroic men—was the first idol to be broken No more no more the echoing horn the wild shout of guard and driver No more the weird story of adventure, suffering brave daring and death told by the blazing log at the end of the long and weary journey The locomotive came and the stage departed like a wraith in the shadows of the night The oft traveled trail became unused the dust blew across it, filling the ruts, the tumble weed choked the deep cuts and they too are no more I very well remember when the last stage coach went out from Walla Walla The routes by reason of the steady progress of the railroads, had been so cut down that at the time I speak of stages ran only between here and Pendleton So one bright summer's morning a few years ago a large crowd had gathered in front of the Stine house to see the last stage, the last representation of the old eventful days, go out on its last trip Among them was Tex Arberry, Tom Tierney, George Thomas J A Abbott, Joe Crabbe, James Chadsey Ben Hayward, John Justice, Jack Tillson Dick Kelling E B Whitman O P Lacy Dick Bogle Max Baumeister Bob Kennedy V D Lambert and many other old timers In all probability a hundred or more stood there watching the proceedings chatting, comparing notes telling how this one came here in 60, or that one in 59 or another related how the stage upset on the Touchet in 62 all awaiting the departure of the once sure harbinger of a better civilization that was now about to depart from their sight forever At last "Old Potter"—and who does not remember Potter—that veteran stage driver that patient fearless man that had driven and driven the stages all about since the memory of man runneth not to the contrary took up the lines, raised himself erect, took off his wide brimmed hat and shouted

"Good bye boys"

Then amid the good byes God speeds God bless you's from the hundred willing voices and as many saddened hearts, the stage was off and followed by moist eyes it rattled down Main street and was soon lost to sight and had disappeared forever Ruskin's most charming essay is in the monosyllable "Gone" Associating with it that impressive word 'forever," making "Gone Forever,' what an inspiring subject is presented for study! What thoughtful theme is there opened to him of the poetic pen

To our dull sense we cannot at all times recognize the eternal fitness of things What appears violent and unreasonable to our human understanding is, after all according to all nature's rule We are not prone to believe this at once for events oftentimes disturb our calculations yet when time has revived our senses and assuaged our grief, sorrow or disappointments, sober second thought with reason comes to our rescue and we acknowledge that all things are for the best after all I am led to this train of thought when I remember that it was but a short time subsequent to the disappearance of the last stage coach that those whose lives had been more or less intimately associated with them began to disappear from mortal sight also First to go thereafter was Uncle George Thomas, who for years and years ran stages over the Blue mountains to the Grande Ronde valley and beyond Then John Leverton an old stager known far and near in the Northwest and following each other in quick succession a large number of those whose lives had passed in close connection with this old time method of travel, and who because of their lost occupation seemed out of place among their fellows, died and made no sign but who are remembered by the many who yet remain as men of sterling integrity brave to temerity and generous to a fault well worthy of emulation by us in these less heroic times

But the most remarkable and pathetic passing away of any of these old stage men was that of Charles Potter, after thirty five or more years continual service—a driver of various lines in California, Oregon Idaho and Washington which meant a life of great endurance peril and hardship He threw back the brakes and laid down the lines at Pendleton one day, patted his horses lovingly on the necks, stroked their foreheads for the last time called them pet names bid them farewell and came to Walla Walla his old home, and as he told me himself only to die

"I am as distant from my fellow men now that I am off my box" he said "as though I was in another world I don't know how to do as they do I can turn my hand to nothing that fits me I am all at sea out of place and want to die"

For a short time thereafter he wandered about aimlessly up one street and down another, feeling of his hands and doing nothing, not that he cared to be idle, but he lived in the world of yesterday, and knew not nor did he care to do with, or to know of the world of to day So one morning word came down town that Potter was dead And when men asked each other what was the matter with Charley they'd say

"I don't know, I saw him yesterday"

But his folks said he laid down of an evening, and in the morning he was gone and when we buried him Walla Walla never saw a grander funeral People came from far up and down the bright valley, and across the wild canyons and over high mountains to his funeral, and the pall bearers were John Abbott Dave Smith Tom Tierney John Ladd, Tex Arberry Ben Hayward and Jack Tillson and they rode out to the cemetery preceded by a band from the garrison, in one of Charley's old stages, drawn by six white horses, they and the stage coach appropriately dressed in mourning

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North half lot 6, block 49 Couch addition price $2750 cash, on North Seventh, bet. F and G sts.

100 feet square on the northeast corner of Second av and Corbett st., price, $3,000 half cash, balance on time.

West half lots 7 and 8, block 10 Caruthers' addition on the southeast corner Fourth and Caruthers sts. price $3500 $1500 cash, balance on or before two years at 8 per cent interest and taxes.

Lots 5 and 6 block 48 Caruthers' addition on the northeast corner Front and Meade sts.; price, $5,500; $2000 cash, balance on easy terms.

Lots 1 and 2 block 199 on the southwest corner Seventh and Harrison sts price $7000 $3500 cash, balance at 8 per cent and taxes.

Lots 3 and 4 block 211 on the northwest corner Seventh and Yamhill sts price $40,000 cash.

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EAST SIDE PROPERTY.

Lot 18, block 1, E. Irving's addition, price $1000; $700 cash, balance on or before one year at 8 per cent and tax, southeast corner Cedar and Grant sts.

Lots 3 and 4, block 10 Kenworthy's addition price $1600 $900 cash, balance in six months at 6 per cent and tax, northeast corner Twentieth and I sts.

Lot 8, block 21, McMillen's addition price $1900; half cash; balance on time, with 1½-story 5-room house rented for $7.50 per month, southwest corner Sixth and A sts.

Two lots on south side of Base Line road, in the Paradise Spring Farm tract price $1000 cash.

Six lots in fractional block 16, Waverly tract; price $2000 $1000 cash, balance on time at 7 per cent; very sightly

Six lots on Seventh st., near Rafferty's addition; price $3000 $900 cash balance on or before five years at 8 per cent and tax.

Two lots with fine residence, on the southeast corner Ninth and Stevens sts. price $5000; $3000 cash, balance on two years at 8 per cent and taxes.

Twenty lots in fractional blocks 15 and 18 and block 31 Waverly tract price $6700; $3100 cash, balance on time at 7 per cent.

East half fractional block 5, McMillen's addition, with three houses, worth about $2500, rented for about $37 to $40 per month, price $7000; $3500 cash, balance on or before one year at 8 per cent and tax; on the southwest corner Third and D sts.

Twenty four lots in blocks 24, 44 and 47, Waverly Tract, price $8200 $3700 cash, balance on four years at 7 per cent and taxes.

Lots 7 and 8, block 2 Kenworthy's addition, on the southwest corner of 20th and K sts. very sightly; price $2000 half cash balance on or before two years at 8 per cent, semi-annual interest and taxes.

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Lot 2 block 1 Story's add. price	1200
Lot 3 block 1, Story's add., price	1200
Lot 4, block 1 Story's add. price	1500
Northeast corner Sixteenth and L sts.	
Lot 5 block 1 Story's add. price	1500
Northwest corner Seventeenth and L sts.	
Lot 6 block 1 Story's add., price	1200
Lot 7 block 1 Story's add price	1200
Lot 8 block 1 Story's add price	1500
Southwest corner Seventeenth and K sts.	

Terms half cash balance two years at 8 per cent.

SELLWOOD.

Lots 1 and 2 block 39 Sellwood corner Fifth and Umatilla av with 19 room 2 story hotel price $3000; $1000 cash balance on one year time at 10 per cent annual interest

ALBINA.

Lot 28 Block 4. Albina, 100 feet east of Margaretta avenue price $1450 $650 cash balance on or before two years at 8 per cent and taxes. With 5-room house costing about $750 rented for $10 50 per month.

Lot 7 block 6 Proebstel's addition price $700; half cash balance on one year at 8 per cent quarterly interest and taxes, on Sellwood, between Morgan and Cardwell sts.

Lots 8 and 9 block 18 Riverview addition, price $1250 half cash balance on or before two years at 8 per cent quarterly interest and taxes.

Lots 13 14 15 and 16, block 11, Albina Homestead price $1300 $520 cash, balance on or before two years at 10 per cent annual interest; southeast corner Washington av and Fir st.

OCEAN PARK.

Lots 17 and 24 block 27, Ocean Park W. T., price, $200 half cash balance 1 year at 8 per cent.

Acre Tracts—Suburban Property.

Five acres on the north side of Section Line road, on the south slope of Mount Tabor; price $4500; $2500 cash balance on one year at 8 per cent and taxes.

Ten acres on the south side of Section Line road, in section 7, township 1 south, range 2 east, price $8000; $3750 cash balance on or before two years at 8 per cent and taxes.

Five acres on the south side of Hawthorne av., immediately south of the Sunny Side tract, price $10,500 $5500 cash balance on or before five years at 8 per cent semi-annual interest and taxes.

Six acres near Hawthorne avenue immediately west of and joining Hawthorne park price $12,000 $6000 cash balance on or before five years at 8 per cent and tax.

Twenty five acres at the foot of Mount Tabor on the south side of the Section Line road price $45,000 $11,000 cash balance on or before five years at 8 per cent and tax.

Sixteen and a half acres on the south side of Hawthorne av, just south of Sunny Side tract, price $34,000 $18,000 cash, balance on or before three years at 8 per cent semi-annual interest and tax.

Nine acres on Wiberg lane adjoining Ladd's tract, the best fruited place in Multnomah county price $21,000 half cash balance on time.

Six acres on the north side of Section Line road in section 6 township 1 south range 2 east price $8500; $6500 cash balance on or before two years at 8 per cent semi-annual interest and taxes.

4 1-6 acres immediately east of Barich Park, on Sunnyside motor line between Hawthorne ave. and Base Line road in section 1 township 1 south, range 1 east price $9000 $6500 cash balance one year.

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Eighty acres 12½ miles southeast of Oregon City; price $800 $250 cash; balance in three years at 8 per cent interest.

10 acres in the D. D. Prettyman Donation Land Claim in sec 5, T 1 S., R. 2 E. Price $7500, $3500 cash, balance in one or two years at 8 per cent and taxes.

160 acres, section 22 township 5 north range 2 west, Willamette meridian price $1600; $1000 cash balance on time to suit.

290 acres timber land being the northeastern quarter section 28 and the southeast quarter of the northeast quarter of section 20, 3½ miles west of Columbia river and 6 miles from Columbia City; price $3000 half cash, balance on one and two years at 8 per cent and taxes.

Half section land, 8 miles southeast of Portland, on Johnson's creek, price $8000; $3000 cash, balance on easy terms.

Lots 1 2 and 3 block 1, and lots 4 and 5, block 7, New Era, Clackamas county Or, with warehouse and store also an addition suitable for a dwelling house. A good pair of warehouse scales and trucks also included. Price $1000.

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OUR ASSESSMENT LAWS.

A good deal of work has been done during the present session of the legislature on a bill to change the laws of the state relating to assessment and taxation. The [illegible] of present laws and the abuses to which they lead are acknowledged on all sides, yet there is small reason to hope that any law on the subject will be passed during the present session. There is endless disagreement upon details, while the source of the principal abuse is not vigorously attacked.

The one capital amendment necessary to a reform of our system is repeal of that provision of the law which allows deduction for indebtedness. Till this is done there never can be a fair assessment or an honest equalization of the charges of taxation. Unless the legislature will consent to repeal of the clause that allows deductions for debt it may as well leave the law as it is.

The practice of deducting indebtedness from valuations of property produces utter [illegible] of our revenue system. It affords a device through which one-fourth to one-half the property of the state escapes taxation, and in the hands of men fertile in expedients and disposed to use without scruple any advantage the law will allow them, it almost or quite wipes off the tax rolls the valuations of many who are actually rich. The magnitude of the abuse it is not possible to exaggerate.

The day will come when we shall have a legislature that is willing to strike at the root of the main evil of our tax system. Till we get a legislature that is willing to do this it is useless to make any minor changes.

THE PUBLIC SCHOOL SYSTEM.

The New York *Sun* denounces the public school system of New York city. No less than 60,000 children leave the public schools annually before they have reached the age of 12 years. Yet the chief expenditure is upon the grammar schools. The primary schools have fewer instructors, have inferior accommodations, so that less room is allotted to 1000 primary pupils than to 500 in the higher grade. The *Sun* says:

> Though the great majority of the children must leave school at a very early age, the instruction of the whole number is regulated with reference to the progress of the few who can remain long enough to pass through the highest grade. The primary school is made the nursery for the grammar school, and the grammar school the nursery for the colleges. As a consequence, the many are sent away with an incomplete elementary education. They receive no thorough instruction in any subject, but are overtasked to obtain a smattering of knowledge in the variety of studies required as a preparation for the higher grades, upon which they can never enter. Accordingly, our schools are inferior to the elementary schools of France and Germany in the actual results accomplished. They work children harder, and yet give them a less thorough and valuable education.

The criticism of the *Sun* on the New York schools applies to the school system of the whole country, which is perverted from its proper purpose, to satisfy the absurd theory of certain teachers who think the whole school system should be subordinated to the thought of the "higher education" of upper schools and colleges. Higher education can easily take care of itself; and if it cannot it is not the business of the state to take care of it. Primary education should be the sole subject of the care and effort of the state. Elementary instruction that defeats dangerous illiteracy, alone justifies general taxation and provision at the public cost. And it is this primary education that is constantly cheated and defrauded of its due under the present school system.

Pleading for the primary schools the *Sun* says:

> They suffer from the moral and intellectual damage done by superficial instruction, by sham knowledge, and the failure to inculcate in them the habit of thoroughness, the only thorough test of sound education, whether it be higher or lower.

The public schools fifty years ago furnished less sham knowledge and more thorough instruction than they do to-day. The reason was that both the memory and the understanding were stimulated. There was less exclusive parrot-like drill in many studies and a clear understanding of the rudiments taught than to-day. At least that is the testimony of protesting teachers on both sides of the water who testify that both Germany and France do more for the pupil and in a shorter time than we do, because they interest the pupil by skillfully stimulating his understanding as well as training his memory. He is made to remember an idea, like a man, not merely to remember and repeat like a parrot.

THE POLICY OF DOGBERRY.

Secretary Bayard's theory of statesmanship, as described in our dispatches of yesterday morning, is a stupid and pusillanimous peace-at-any-price policy, worthy of a man who was a political Laodicean during the great war for the Union. Mr. Bayard pretended to love the Union, but he did not love it well enough to think it right to shed a drop of blood for it. Disunion was sentimentally disagreeable to the great Delawarean, but not so odious as the spilling of fraternal blood; and so Mr. Bayard, like his fellow copperheads, employed their time wringing their hands and protesting against a fight in the family. If the South wanted anything, no matter how outrageous the demand, the great, cool, calm and cultivated senator from Delaware always struck a high old Ciceronian attitude and said: "The demand of the South is not quite just, but the South will secede unless she can have what she wants, and if the North attempts coercion there will be war, and, much as I love the Union, I prefer peace and secession to coercion and war." That was Bayard during the war and it is Bayard to-day. He is a peace-at-any-price poltroon who has that womanish dread of guns and drums and bayonets and blood and wounds every political dude "statesman" in history has manifested. Bayard hates war because it interrupts the social Sybarite's enjoyment of his sherry and champagne. It rudely breaks upon his nuts and raisins; it confuses him when he is making a pretty after-dinner speech. The drums and bugles of war are odious to these effeminate sons of so-called culture, who are never weary of chanting that letters as well as law are silent in those days when the clash of resounding arms counts for more even than the click of type. Bayard during the war stood, politically, for what Theodore Parker declared some men stood for theologically, when he compared them to the blank leaf between the Old and New Testaments, which belonged to neither dispensation. Bayard was very sorry when the war broke out; Pendleton was sorry; Phelps was sorry; Vallandigham and Seymour were sorry, because they knew that the war meant a black eye to the pro-slavery party; but they would not fight for either side because peace at any price, peace at the expense of honor, was better than a fight for national life. As logicians they ought to have remembered that when two sections are ready to appeal to arms the less said about fraternal blood the better. Fraternal blood is an accident; fraternal sympathies have [illegible] extinct before war can possibly be [illegible] stand in the prince's name. If he will not stand why then take no note of him, but let him go, and thank God you are rid of a knave." That was Bayard's policy in 1861. He would bid the South "stand," but if she would not stand, he would let her go and thank God; and so to-day he would bid Bismarck stand in this Samoan business, but if he would not stand he would let him go as he [illegible], and thank God he was rid of a knave and the United States was at peace. Brother Bayard does not appear to know that there are worse things than war in this world, whether for a man or nation. A decent man, who on general principles despised [illegible], would knock the fellow down [illegible] wantonly spit in his face or [illegible] his wife; and a nation [illegible] slightest self-respect will refuse to purchase peace at the price of a meekly endured slap in the face. Peace is good; all wise men and nations prefer peace to war; but they do not confuse an honorable love of peace and a contempt for the wanton violence of a bully with the craven conduct of a whipped spaniel. A mastiff that dies in silence biting hard is better than a whipped spaniel that sees length of days if not honor in the land by not daring to bark, much less to bite, when beaten.

The worst consequence of Bayard's spiritless policy, which would surrender national self-respect and dignity for the sake of peace, is that it has excellently paved the way for Blaine's nomination to Harrison's cabinet as Bayard's successor. The people are justly disgusted with Bayard's ridiculous peace-at-any-price policy, and in their disgust naturally run to the other extreme and clamor for Blaine, who has been distinguished heretofore by a reckless, boastful, and ignorant "jingo" foreign policy. Had it not been for Bayard's unprincipled, sentimental pusillanimity the people would not have recklessly thrown up their hats for Blaine, who is the other extreme of stupid diplomacy. The administration of General Grant was singularly fortunate in having a man like Hamilton Fish at the head of foreign affairs. Mr. Fish was cool, calm, courageous, astute and just, and he made a diplomatic record that was never equalled in our history, save by Daniel Webster. Bayard has by hanging out the white flag prepared the way for Blaine, but had he behaved like Fish we should have had John Sherman as his successor. A secretary of state, who behaves like a caponized statesman, places the sensational aggressiveness of Blaine at a premium; and so Bayard has helped to nominate Blaine to Harrison's cabinet.

Eugene City is to have an ordinance to prevent minors and students from frequenting billiard saloons in that city. Why relieve, or seek to relieve, parents and the faculty of the State University of authority and responsibility in this matter? It cannot be that the mission of the former is solely to board and clothe minors, and that the duty of the latter is confined to hearing recitations. States and municipalities are undertaking a great deal in these days in the line of supervision of private morals—much more than they are likely to perform with benefit to society. The tendency is to ignore individual responsibility where it should be to encourage and insist upon its assumption.

The city board of charities is doing excellent work in assisting willing, industrious men to obtain employment. At this season of the year, and with a steady influx of immigrants, it is reasonable to expect that there are many to whom even a few days' work comes in the guise of a blessing. Of course the man with a grievance at labor is also well represented in the board's visitors, but he does not honor the society with his cordial good will, and does not hesitate to denounce it as of "no use to the poor man." Notwithstanding this, it has a good record in the community in helping honest industry to help itself.

The gentlemen who sustain the governor on the Portland water bill want to drive the bonds from Oregon. They are dreadfully afraid that the bonds, or a portion of them, would be taken here, and that the interest would be realized here. So they are eager to drive the bonds out of the state. On bonds amounting to $1,500,000, running thirty years and bearing 5 per cent. interest, a total of $2,250,000 would be paid as interest. Our brethren don't want this interest realized in Oregon and invested in Oregon. They prefer that it should be paid in Boston and invested there. There are no capitalists in Boston.

Mr. Bayard's term of office is drawing to a close and some one has made the discovery that he has had a "policy." More than this, that it has been "definitely and peculiarly an American policy." The ingratitude of republics is proverbial. Is their stupidity likely to become so? It would appear that there is danger of this, when after four years of continuous service a secretary of state must declare that he has had a policy, insist upon the correctness of his statement, outline, explain and even name it before the people were aware of its existence.

Two children were killed and others of the family were thrown into convulsions in Philadelphia a few days ago, by eating sausage. Municipal authority should be evoked to prevent people from using brass collars for their dogs.

ST. JACOBS OIL
FOR RHEUMATISM.

Suffered 40 Years and Cured.

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For over forty years I have been a victim of Rheumatism. I was persuaded to try St. Jacobs Oil. I have used two bottles and a man more free from rheumatism never walked our streets. My limbs that were once stiff and lame are now as light and limber as in my youth.

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Crippled Cases Throw Away Crutches; Cured Permanently.

Sold by Druggists and Dealers Everywhere.
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MEETING NOTICE.

Garfield Post No. 3, G. A. R.—Regular meeting of Garfield Post No. 3 this (Tuesday) evening at 7:30 o'clock in Grand Army hall, corner First and Taylor streets.

The Post extends a cordial invitation to comrades visiting in the city and to resident comrades to attend.

R. M. McMASTER, Adjt.

Multnomah Degree Lodge, No. 1, I. O. O. F.—Regular meeting this (Tuesday) evening at 7:30 o'clock. Work in the first degree. Members are requested to attend. Visitors made welcome.

G. GRUTZE, Secretary.

DIED.

At Boston Highland, Mass., Feb. 14th, 1889, Mary Mulliken, aged 78 years, wife of S. Bradford Morse, and mother of S. B. Morse of Portland, Or.

February 18, 1889, at the residence, Ray, only son of B. M. and Cora E. Stuart, aged 3 months. Funeral Wednesday at 10:30 A. M.

Geo. H. River, Undertaker and Embalmer, S. W. cor. 4th and Yamhill. Telephone 507.

NEW TO-DAY.

ORIGINAL RICHARDSON & BOYNTON Furnaces at 129 Sixth st., near Washington. H. B. CHASE, Sole Agent. 80e*tf

[illegible] ALL CLEARED, FENCED and planted in fruit, trees, on line of proposed street-car [illegible], cor. Sixth and Nehalem av., in the city Sellwood, [illegible] $2500 [illegible] easy terms. CARR & GOLDSMITH, S. W. cor. First and Washington sts., Portland, Or. 1

EAT TO-DAY AT SIMMON'S RESTAURANT, 32 Stark. All home cooking. An elegant dinner for 25 cents. 1

F. J. HILDEBRAND, Prescription Druggist, 3d and Morrison. Telephone 469. Orders by mail receive prompt attention.

SPRING VALLEY ADDITION 5 acres, cleared, $400 per acre. JOHN ANGEL, 19f3* Esmond Block.

[illegible] WOOD OF ALL KINDS. Piggott & Brown (formerly Jackson & Co.) North Fourth and Front. Telephone [illegible]

[illegible] OF ALL KINDS AT THE Pioneer Wood Yard, foot of Morrison st. Telephone 184. MOORE & STARR.

SHORTHAND students instructed in Typewriting, Penmanship, Correspondence, etc., without extra cost. Portland Business College, Second and Yamhill.

DUDLEY & GLAHN REAL ESTATE agents, Room 3, first floor, Abington building. Persons having property for sale will do well by placing it in their hands.

NOTICE—AS SOON AS BLOCKS 21, 22, 28, 29 and 30, in Willamette addition are sold at $50 per lot, the price of all lots in the tract will be $100 each. SHERMAN BROWN, Agent, 12 Morrison st. 19f*tf

$1000 CASH—BOX HOUSE AND TWO LOTS in Cole's addition, East Portland; lies on the Oregon City road; one of the best bargains offered. For particulars inquire of J. W. OGILBEE, 17f7* 33 Washington st., Portland.

THIRTY-THREE GIRLS WANTED for housework of all kinds. Portland Employment Agency, Room 11, Dekum's Building, First and Washington sts. (over Lipman's store). 1

ONE MILE FROM EAST PORTLAND. 15 ACRES for sale at $120 per acre; half cash. Address CHAS. WILLIAMSON, 19f2* care of John Angel, Esmond Block.

$2[illegible]—100x100, ONE BLOCK from the new hotel facing east; this is cheap. JOHN ANGEL, Agt., 19f1* Esmond Block.

$200 CLOVERDALE $200
This addition is being rapidly sold. Only a few lots left at $200 on the installment plan, without interest. They are within two blocks of the Vancouver railroad. Price will be raised to $250 per lot after this week. JOHN M. GRESS, 135½ First st.

TO SPECULATORS!—$700 WILL BUY a house and lot in [illegible] addition to East Portland; a rare bargain; [illegible] a new buggy for sale, by R. C. WARNER, at Hoey's furniture store, 270 First st., Portland. 18f3*

FOR SALE.
$1600—160 ACRES, 100 ACRES LEVEL land, plenty good water, house and barn, 4 acres under cultivation, a good orchard; about 30 acres good hayland. Inquire of G. Vois, 81 First st.

SMALL ACRE TRACTS.
We have small tracts near Mount Tabor, East Portland and Albina, at reasonable prices; also good bargains in city property. HOWARD & FLOWER, 110 Second st. 16f7*

FIVE ACRES.
$75[illegible]—2½ MILES FROM EAST PORTland. Address CHAS. WILLIAMSON, Care John Angel, Esmond Block.

YOUNG MEN WHO INVEST THEIR money in a good business education will be sure of dividends as long as they live. Prof. Newton, manager of the Commercial Department of the Holmes Business College, has not his equal in the Northwest as a business educator. Tuition $10 per month. Come, boys, take hold and prepare for a better position when offered. 1

WE [illegible] FOURTEEN LOTS in Cloverdale, one block from P. & V. motor line; all level and cleared; size 50x100 feet each; we place above on the market at the low figure of $250 per lot; payments $10 per month; discount for cash. CARR & GOLDSMITH, S. W. cor. First and Washington sts., Portland, Or. 1

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25x100 feet on Front street, between Clay and Columbia sts. Price $4500.
Apply RUSSELL & MACLEOD, 147 First street.

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Small monthly or weekly payments: Furniture, Clocks, Watches, Carpets and all kinds of household goods; open evenings. The New York Installment Co., 103 and 105 Morrison street. 8f†

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Masquerade suits for rent at 128½ Third st.
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Is back again and will be ready for
BICYCLE BUSINESS
At new "Cycle Castle," 49 Morrison st., Portland, in a day or two. 17f2*t

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EAST PORTLAND
AT A BARGAIN FOR A
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THIRD STREET PROPERTY
FOR SALE.
Inquire of GEO. L. STORY,
31 Stark Street.

REAL ESTATE.
ACRE AND CITY PROPERTY
FOR SALE
BY
THE NORTHWEST REAL ESTATE AND INVESTMENT COMPANY.
H. W. WESCO, : : : MANAGER. 5f†

CITY TAXES.

The tax roll for 1889 is now in my hands for collection, and all taxes assessed thereon must be paid at my office, No. 105 First street, within thirty days from this date, or the same will be returned as delinquent.

H. W. MONNASTES,
City Treasurer.
Portland, Or., Feb. 11, 1889. 10f14

Standing Seam Steel Roofing
In rolls, ready to put on.
Corrugated Iron Roofing,
Galvanized Iron Cornice,
Metallic Skylights.
J. C. BAYER,
265--267 Second St., Portland.
Send for Illustrated Catalogue.

A. B. RICHARDSON, AUCTIONEER,
Will sell at Public Auction
Household Furniture
On the premises at residence on corner of Twenty-first and Kate.
—ON—
TUESDAY, FEB. 19, at 10 O'CLOCK.

Fine Parlor Furniture.
Lace Curtains and Cornices,
Fine Engravings.
—ALSO—
Walnut Bedroom Sets.
—ALSO—
Bedsteads, Bureaus, Washstands, Commodes,
Hair and Spring Mattresses,
Feather Pillows and Bolsters,
Blankets, Comforts, Sheets, Pillow Slips, etc.
—ALSO—
One Sideboard,
Crockery and Glassware,
Knives, Forks and Spoons,
Heating Stoves, Kitchen Range and Fixtures, etc.

A. B. RICHARDSON, Auctioneer

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WHERE the air is pure.

WHERE you can have a choice of two motor lines, one on either side.

WHERE you can buy lots for about two-thirds the price lately paid for property in large tracts more than half a mile farther from Portland in the same direction.

WHERE Portland's great future residence place will be.

WHERE the land is in a high state of cultivation.

WHERE there will be no great cuts and fills, requiring a small fortune for street improvements.

WHERE you can secure a home at a moderate cost.

WHERE you can buy full-sized lots on EASY INSTALLMENTS WITHOUT INTEREST.

WHERE the coming thousands will instinctively turn to seek homes, in the garden spot of Multnomah county.

WHERE all the advantages of the country can be obtained in close proximity to the center of Portland. THERE GLENCOE PARK IS, and there you should buy a lot, and that right early, for there will be a sharp advance in present prices in the spring.

YES, Glencoe Park lies directly east from Portland, between proposed extension to N st motor line and proposed line on Hawthorne av.

REMEMBER—Easy installments without interest.
JOHN CAMPBELL,
9f†f 9 Washington st.

FOR SALE.

$1800—Corner lot and cottage house in South Portland.
1100—Inside lot near Orphans' Home, fronting east.
600 each—Four lots on Fourth, near Russell street, Albina.
800—Corner lot on Fourth, near Russell st., Albina.
400 each—Two lots on Fourth in Albina Homestead.
250 each—Four lots in Tibbetts' addition, East Portland.
400—Corner lot in Tibbetts' addition, East Portland.
2000—Half block and house in Tibbetts' addition, East Portland.
1300—Corner lot, Twelfth and D sts., East Portland.
1100—Inside lot, Twelfth and D sts., East Portland.
LONG & YOUNG,
19f2* 54 Washington st.

NEW BARGAINS.

$2500—Three lots, 50x150 each; three feet above grade, on improved street, near Williams av., Albina.
2000—Two well improved lots, Sellwood; house, plenty fruit, sightly.
100 per acre—Tracts to suit, good fruit land, nice location for summer home, southeast of Mount Tabor.
2700—41 acres near Cedar Mill, good water, 14 acres under plow, 6 acres fruit, team, wagon, etc.
$2 lots, motor railway addition, from $65 to $85 per lot; $25 down, balance $5 per month; no interest; this tract is 1200 feet from Vancouver motor line; high, dry.
GOODNOUGH & JOHNSON,
17f2*t N. E. cor. First and Alder, up stairs.

BUY 'EM WHEN THEY'RE LOW.

8 acres on Vancouver road, all clear, and cheap at $5000.

11½ acres, all clear, South Mount Tabor, $3500; one-third cash, balance 1 and 2 years at 8 per cent.

13½ acres, Mount Tabor, $600 per acre; a thousand prune trees and other fruit, house etc. This property will be reasonably worth $850 per acre in the next sixty days. Terms on application.

L. A. PATTERSON & CO.,
Real Estate and Insurance Brokers,
1169 Fourth st., East Portland.

FOR 10 DAYS ONLY.

$1500—Fine sightly lot on Cricket ground, South Portland.
2500—85 feet fronting east on Corbett st., South Portland.
1660—60x170, fronting east on Front st., South Portland.
1300—40x80 feet, fronting east, Cricket ground, South Portland.
3250—75x100 feet, east front, with 5-room cottage, Cricket ground, South Portland.
2200—Fractional lot and 6-room house on Cricket ground, South Portland.
J. V. ALLEN,
12s*tf 106½ First st., Room 9, ground floor.

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IN GLENCOE PARK.
JOHN CAMPBELL,
SOLE AGENT,
9 WASHINGTON ST. 27j*tf

LOANS PRIVATELY NEGOTIATED.

Two corner lots, 50x100 each, house, etc., Stevens' add, East Portland, cheap.

Lot, 50x100, two houses, well-tenanted, Sixth st., $10,000.

Lot, 50x100, saloon, store, etc., Fourth st., $15,000.

Lots in Smith's addition to East Portland, $350 to $400.

Old established drug store, one grocery, four saloons, three restaurants, all in good locations.

Carriage, harness, robes, blankets and pair good horses.
BESWICK & MATHEWS,
19f3 34 Washington st.

ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE.

I will sell at public auction on the twenty-third day of February, 1889, at 10 o'clock A. M., at the court house door, that portion of the Dunn tract of land in East Portland which fronts on the Base Line road.

T. M. RICHARDSON,
Administrator of the estate of John L. Dunn, deceased. 18f*tf

MASQUERADE COSTUME NOTICE.

The costumer has arrived, with a large and varied stock of costumes for the Verein Eintracht Masquerade Ball and Mardi Gras, on the 22d of February. They are now on exhibition and for rent, at prices to suit, at No. 211 Fourth street, near Salmon. All persons wishing to take part in the Mardi Gras street procession will please leave their names with Mr. C. F. Pfluger, No. 50 Washington, between Second and Third. The Committee of Arrangements Verein Eintracht. 19f4*

HOLLADAY PROPERTY.
Lots and blocks in Holladay's addition to East Portland for sale cheap.
O. A. STEEL & CO.,
127½ First st. 11f*†

FOR SALE—A few left of those Elegant Lots in City View addition to Albina. The Cheapest Albina property on the market. $225 per lot; $10 monthly installments; no interest.
Thompson & Riggen Real Estate Co.
10ftf 48 Stark street.

The building No. 46 Second st., between Ash and Pine, will be sold by auction on Thursday, Feb. 21st, at 10 o'clock, by
GILMAN & CO., Auctioneers.

ACRES.

19 acres of fine high land, only 1½ miles east of Albina, for $300 per acre.

10 acres near East Portland, lies beautifully and commanding fine view, for $300 per acre.
LONG & YOUNG,
19f2* 54 Washington st.

THE BOWNE ADDITION,
Lots for sale in this delightful addition to East Portland, on Hawthorne av., 2½ miles from river, on motor line; pure air, rapid transit and a delightful home here attained. A. BALMANNO,
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are easy. The Portland & Vancouver Motor line furnishes quick communication to the heart and center of Portland. Call at our office and get one of those beautiful maps of it. We now have a commodious branch office at Highland for the accommodation of our customers. The motor cars stop at the door. HAIGHT & DENNER, 16f*tf No. 1½ Washington st.

TO MY MANY PATRONS—I BEG TO ANnounce that I am now importing my goods through the custom house direct. I will be ready shortly to announce what I have to exhibit to intending purchasers in fine garments and pattern dresses. I have just been informed by Mr. Abrahams of the custom house, that as soon as the invoices of my present heavy importation arrive he will have the goods immediately delivered to me. H. B. LITT. 17f*tf

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE STOCKholders of the Portland Reduction Works will be held at the banking house of Ladd & Tilton, on Monday, March 11, 1889, at 1 o'clock P. M., for the purpose of electing a board of directors for the ensuing year, and the transacting of any other business that may properly come before the meeting.
JAMES STEEL, Secretary.
Feb. 18, 1889. 19f3d

A SPECIAL MEETING OF THE STOCKHOLDers of the Portland Cable Railway Company will be held in the parlors of the Ainsworth National bank, on Tuesday, March 5, 1889, at 3 o'clock P. M., for the purpose of considering the question of increasing the capital stock of the company, and the transaction of such other business as may legally come before said meeting. P. C. SMITH, President.
Portland, February 18, 1889. 19f1

YOU CAN BUY A LOT IN WEST PORTLAND from T. A. Wood, Room No. 1, Odd Fellows' Building, for $100, and pay for it in small installments so that you will hardly feel it, and in a few years you will have a nice home worth thousands. Young man, invest in real estate; it will make you rich, especially when it is so easily obtained. The Northwest [illegible] 27f†f

TEACHERS' EXAMINATION — THE FIRST quarterly examination for the year 1889, will be held at the Central school building, East Portland, beginning Wednesday, February 27, at 1 o'clock. All permits expire on that date.
19f5* W. A. WETZELL, County School Sup't.

IMPORTED SWISS CHEESE, CREAM, LIMBURger and Roquefort Cheese; Sauer Kraut, German Pickles, [illegible] Herrings, Kosher Smoked Meat, Tongues, Sausages, Fancy Delicacies and Groceries. MRS. M. BAUM, 88 Morrison st.

IMPROVED FARM—130 ACRES, 80 IN CULtivation, nice crop in; big orchard; farm implements, team, 7 head cattle, grain, etc.; all for $2000; big bargain, near railroad. Inquire C. E. WOOD, Real Estate Agent, Room 1, Odd Fellows' Building.

$200—ONE AND ONE-FIFTH LOTS IN EAST Portland; level, clear and sightly; $200 down; remainder of $150 on time to suit purchaser; this is a decided bargain; but it must be sold; no commission. Address Lot Owner, care Oregonian. 1

MONEY TO LOAN—THIRTY, SIXTY AND ninety-day notes discounted; plenty of money to loan in sums to suit, on real estate or personal security, at a low rate of interest. See HARRISON B. OATMAN, No. 7 Stark st., Portland, Or. 6f1m*

HOTEL FOR SALE OF ABOUT 40 ROOMS, doing good business, location A 1, on best street in Portland; this is a rare opportunity. Parties meaning business may apply to HAIGHT & DONNER, No. 1½ Washington st. 17f3*

WANTED—5 WOMEN COOKS AT $30 AND $35 per month; 10 girls for general housework at $25; 20 girls for light housework, from $15 to $20 per mo. Apply San Francisco Employment Agency, Third st., bet. Pine and Ash. 19f3

SELLWOOD HAS CHURCHES, A FIRST-class school and good hotels; come early if you wish choice locations on easy terms. J. FRED CLARK & SONS, 13 Stark st. *

TO BUILDERS AND CONTRACTORS—WANTed, by Sept. 1st, 1889, a good-sized cottage, with basement finished according to my plans; will lease for one or two years. Address H. F., care Oregonian.

FOR SALE—THE FURNITURE OF A 30-room best furnished rooming house in the city; every room rented and paying a big net profit. THOMPSON & RIGGEN Real Estate Co., 48 Stark.

WANTED—2 OR 3 UNFURNISHED ROOMS for light housekeeping on ground floor or a 6 or 7 room cottage, furnished, in good location, lease for one year. Address 467, care Oregonian, with price.

FOR SALE—THE FURNITURE AND LEASE of a 16-room first-class rooming and boarding house; house heated with steam. THOMPSON & RIGGEN Real Estate Co., 48 Stark st. 15f*tf

WANTED—YOUNG GIRL TO ASSIST IN GENeral housework in a family of four adults and two children, on line of Sunnyside motor; 3 miles from bridge. Call at 26 N. Front st. 19ftf

WANTED—TO RENT, SIX MONTHS OR MORE, furnished house, 6 to 8 rooms; small family, no children; state terms and location; references. Address D. E., care Oregonian. 19f3

FIVE ACRES TO BE SOLD FOR $8000; the land is situated within 2 miles of East Portland; terms easy. Apply to F. V. ANDREWS & CO., 25 Pine st. 9f3*f

FOR SALE—THE FURNITURE OF A 14-room boarding and lodging house full of roomers and boarders. THOMPSON & RIGGEN Real Estate Co., 48 Stark st. 15f*tf

A MODERN 8-ROOM HOUSE FOR RENT, 5 blocks from postoffice; fine location; furniture new and must be sold to renter. Inquire in store at 101½ Morrison st. 19f1f*

FOR SALE—THE FURNITURE OF A 22-room best located rooming house in the city; this is a bargain. THOMPSON & RIGGEN Real Estate Co., 48 Stark st. 15f*tf

SITUATION WANTED BY YOUNG MAN TO drive delivery wagon; well acquainted with the city and can furnish good references. Address T. S., care Oregonian. 19f2

FOR SALE—STOCK AND FIXTURES OF THE Mikado millinery, dressmaking and art parlors, as a whole or by departments. Inquire at No. 107 Morrison st. 17f1f

WANTED—TO BUY A HOUSE AND LOT IN Portland or East Portland on installments of $25 per month, without interest. Address L. C. C., care Oregonian. 1

$6500—LOT AND 9-ROOM HOUSE ON FIFTH and College; house will rent for $35 per month. Apply to DUDLEY & GLAHN, Abington Building. 19f2

WANTED—2 OR 3 UNFURNISHED ROOMS suitable for light housekeeping, within five blocks of West Park and F sts. Address S. F., care Oregonian. 19f3

TO LOAN—MONEY ON HOUSEHOLD FURNIture and all kinds of personal property. Notes discounted. FRAME & STOWELL, 135½ First st.

FOR SALE—THE FURNITURE OF 9-ROOM well located rooming house; house for rent. THOMPSON & RIGGEN Real Estate Co., 48 Stark.

COAL—A FRESH SUPPLY OF BUCODA JUST received, $6 per ton; kindlings and fire wood. Union Fuel Co., 30 Ash st. Telephone 65. *

$2000 TO LOAN FOR ONE, TWO OR THREE years, on real estate security. Apply to GEO. WOODWARD, No. 2½ Washington st. 19f3*

WANTED—AN HONEST, ENERGETIC AND capable man of some business experience; good salary to the right man. Address F. W., Oregonian.

$3200—SIX LOTS IN ALBINA HOMESTEAD addition. A. BALMANNO, 10ftf N. E. cor. Washington and Front.

BARGAIN—5 ACRES ON BASE LINE ROAD, all in fruit; income from same last year on fruit, $900. L. R. THOMPSON & CO. 22 Oak st. 16f*

MONEY TO LOAN—ON HOUSEHOLD FURNIture, chattels of all description (without removal). Apply to S. B. COHN, No. 84 Second st. 18f*tf

WANTED—A GOOD NURSE GIRL FOR A young baby; good wages; references required. Call at 230 Jefferson st., bet. 9 and 11. 19f3

DR. E. A. JONES IS AT HOME AGAIN AND his office is 5½ Morrison st. Don't forget the place. Diseases of women a specialty. 9f†f

GIRL WANTED TO DO GENERAL HOUSEwork, $20 per month. HIGLEY BROS.' Employment Office, 14 Union Block. 1

SECOND COOK WANTED AT HIGLEY BROS.' Employment Office, Rooms 14 and 15, Union Block. 1

$1450—3 SPLENDID LOTS IN BARTSCH Park, 50x165 each. A. BALMANNO, N. E. cor. Washington and Front. 19ftf

WANTED—WOMAN TO TAKE CHARGE OF children's nursery; wages $20. Inquire at Children's Home, Corbett st. 19f2

SWEETS OF ALL KINDS, INCLUDING Maskey's celebrated candies at Gerson's, Stone's old stand. 19f

STEAKS AND CHOPS AT DUNNE'S CHOP house at No. 27 Pine st.; the best restaurant in Portland. 4f1m*

WANTED—AN ELDERLY LADY OR SWEDE girl for general housework; no children. Apply at No. 89 N. Tenth st. 19f2

THE MOST ELEGANT MEDICINE IN THE world is Oregon Electric Relief, for any pains or lung trouble. Try it. 23f1m*

WANTED—COMPETENT WOMAN FOR GENeral housework; small family. Inquire at 313 Fifth st., cor. Clay. 19ftf

LET UP—THERE IS NONE IN THE PATronage that the New York is receiving. 133 First st. 1

WANTED—A COAT MAKER. INQUIRE AT the Pountney Tailor Shop, Morrison st., bet. Front and First. 19f2

R. O. COLLIS, 171 FRONT STREET, HAS THE best and cheapest stock of saddles and harness on the coast. 30d-tuths*

SITUATION WANTED—BY GIRL TO DO GENeral housework in private family. Apply 29 Columbia st. 19f2

FOR RENT—ONE LARGE UNFURNISHED front room. Inquire at 91 East Park, near Stark st. 19f3

FOR SALE—TWO LARGE WORK OXEN, GIRT 8 feet. Inquire at Zimmerman's market, 92 First st. 19f2

CANVASSER WANTED—ROOM 14, 1ST NAT'L bank; electric belts; with suspensory, complete, $1.

WANTED—A GIRL FOR GENERAL HOUSEwork. Apply N. W. cor. of Sixth and Sheridan.

$2500 TO LOAN ON FIRST-CLASS REAL estate security. Address Lock box 69, city.

E. F. COOK — CALL AT 301 FIRST ST., ST. George's bar, at 10 A. M. to-day. Dan Frazer

NEW PIANOS FOR RENT AT THE KOHLER & CHASE MUSIC HOUSE, 71 Morrison street.

THE BEST MEALS IN THE CITY, ONLY 25c at the Revere House, cor. Third and Stark.

WANTED—A BOY AT KLUMPP'S ENGRAVing establishment, Room 1, Mulkey block. 1

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FOR RENT — 4 ROOMS, FURNISHED FOR housekeeping. 43 Hill st. 19f2

BOARD AND ROOM, FURNISHED, BY PRIvate family at 109 Hall st. 1

HEAVY HORSE FOR SALE AT CITY STAbles, Front and Mill sts. 19f4

WANTED—A HOUSE, FURNISHED, suitable for keeping lodgers or boarders. Address C. M., care Oregonian. 17f4

PURCHASER WANTED FOR CORNER LOT, high and sightly, near motor line; $1000; no commission. Address Owner, care Oregonian. 11ftf

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WANTED—HOUSES AND LOTS AT $1000, $1500 and $2000; we have calls for such property; also small acre tracts. L. A. PATTERSON & CO., real estate and insurance brokers, 1169 Fourth st., East Portland, Or. 15f5

WANTED—EMPLOYMENT.

WANTED—A SITUATION AS SHIPPING OR check clerk by a young man of experience. Address W. A. H., care Oregonian. 17f3

WANTED—SITUATION AS BOOKKEEPER OR salesman by young man with 18 years' experience. Answer O. K., care Oregonian. 17f3

SITUATION WANTED BY A WELL EDUCATED young man, who is willing to work, in a wholesale warehouse. Address Worker, care Oregonian. 16f3 sat mon tu

EXPERIENCED GERMAN NURSE WISHES to take charge of small baby or grown children day and night; best of references; $25 per month. Call 241 Seventh, cor. Main. 17f3

A LADY TEACHER OF MUSIC DESIRES TO obtain a few more pupils; would exchange lessons for painting or violin lessons. Lessons, care Oregonian. 9ftf

WANTED—HELP.

WANTED—A FIRST-CLASS BROILER; GOOD wages. Apply at Frieman's cafe. 6ftf

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WANTED—AGENTS.

WANTED—SALESMEN EVERYWHERE FOR our adjustable Door Plates (can sell and deliver at once) four styles of Door Bells, metal and white enamel letters, house numbers, etc. Samples, circulars, etc., free. NEW YORK DOOR PLATE CO., Albany, N. Y. 19f7

WANTED—AGENTS TO WRITE THE HARTling Portrait House, Flood building, San Francisco, Cal., for catalogue; big money; no experience; steady work. Mention this paper. 8ftf

FOR SALE—REAL ESTATE.

FOR SALE—CHEAP, SMALL HOUSE AND lot on west side of Twentieth st., bet. H and I. Apply on premises. 10f14

FOR SALE—$900 EACH, TWO BEAUTIFUL lots on Corbett st., in South Portland, facing east; fine view. Inquire of COMPTON, BEALL & CO., 112 First st. 13f10

FARMS FOR SALE—SOME GOOD FARMS IN the Willamette valley for sale at reasonable prices and on easy terms. Apply to WM. MACMASTER, 40 Second st., Portland, Oregon. 7ftf

MT. TABOR—FOR SALE—A 2-ACRE LOT ON one of the most beautiful spots on Mt. Tabor; grand views and plenty of good water. The land is well cultivated. For information inquire of John E. Brostie, florist, Mt. Tabor, or at No. 141 Morrison st., Portland. 12f14

FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS.

FOR SALE — 1 BANJO, NICKEL-PLATED, nearly new. Address P. O. box 489, Portland, Oregon. 12ftf

FOR SALE—SIX-HORSEPOWER ENGINE AND boiler; also one double action pump; can be seen on the premises, Eighteenth and T sts. Inquire N. VERSTEEG. 7f1m

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FOR SALE—THE FURNITURE OF A PRIvate boarding house; all nearly new, centrally located and paying well. Address G, care Oregonian.

FOR SALE—AN 18-HORSE WESTINGHOUSE engine and upright boiler, comparatively new. Full particulars given by DAVID STEEL, successor to Himes, the printer, 169-171 Second st., up stairs.

FOR SALE—A QUARTER INTEREST IN A patented railway frogless switch, already introduced and destined to work a revolution in railway switching systems; no frivolous device; model can be seen at Godfrey real estate office, Albina, Or., and all particulars furnished by A. M. Grubbs, patentee. 17f5

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One 60-barrel mash machine, rotary motion.
One Malt crusher, capacity 60 bushels per hour.
One No. 4 Morgan separator.
One 6-horsepower engine.
Apply to H. WEINHARD, City Brewery, Portland, Or. 15ftf

LOST AND FOUND.

LEFT IN MASONIC HALL ON NIGHT OF Mr. Coursen's concert, Malacca cane, with ivory handle; finder will please return to B. H. Nicoll, with Curtiss & Macleay, 8th Front st. 18f1

LOST—FEBRUARY 10, BETWEEN MOUNT Tabor and Sunnyside, a brown cocker pup. Reward offered by N. L. CURRY, 73 First st. 18ftf

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H. E. BATTIN & CO., GENERAL COMMISSION Merchants and Produce Dealers. 130 Front st.

C. CÆSAR & CO., SHIPPING AND COMMISSION Merchants, 20 North Front street, Portland, Or.

TAYLOR, YOUNG & CO., SHIP BROKERS AND Commission Merchants, agents for San Juan Archipelago Lime Co., 34 Front street, corner Ash.

J. O'CONNOR, WHOLESALE AND RETAIL Grocer, dealer in ship stores, garden and grass seeds, foreign and domestic fruits, etc., N. E. corner Front and Alder streets, Portland, Or.

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HOUSE FOR RENT ON E ST., BETWEEN 15th and 16th. All modern improvements. Apply to R. Knell, 132 Third. 3ftf

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FOR RENT—A NEW HOUSE ON N ST., IN East Portland, 3 blocks from Morrison st. bridge; two 9-rooms with closets; fine brick basement; house supplied with pure water from a living spring on the premises; rent $20 per month. Inquire at Wiberg's art gallery, 131 Third st. 16ftf

TO RENT—ROOMS—WITH BOARD.

FURNISHED ROOMS AND PRIVATE BOARD for gentlemen only, at 269 Third st.; references.

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SPECIAL NOTICES.

CALL FOR A PROFESSIONAL LADIES' nurse at 64 Jefferson st., Room 15. 17f7

NEY CHURCHMAN, DENTIST, OFFICE AND residence, S.W. cor. Third and Morrison, Portland.

MASSAGE—MRS. O. MAXWELL WILL TREAT patients at their residence. Address 336 Ninth st. 26f1m

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A LADY OF SOME MEANS DESIRES THE acquaintance of a gentleman of equal means. Address O. M. Bureau, P. O. box 564. 17f3

MIDWIFE — MRS. HENRY MILLER REINhart; best of care in cases of confinement. No. 87½ N. Third st., near F. 17f1m

FOR RENT—FINE SQUARE PIANO AND organ, or will sell either very cheap. Apply at the auction and commission store, 238 First st. 1

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MRS. E. DEFRANS, METAPHYSICIAN AND Teacher of Christian Science, 353 Ninth st., cor. Main. Class instruction $5. Consultation free. [illegible]

A GENTLEMAN OF MEANS DESIRES TO correspond with a lady; object, matrimony; good home to right party. Address O. M. Bureau, P. O. box 564. 17f3

PARTIES IN SEARCH OF OREGON'S BEST logging timber, on government lands, can be located on such by applying to S. J. ROBERTS, office foot of Alder st., Portland, Or. 17f6

CITY TAXES—THE TAX ROLL OF ALBINA for 1889 is now in my hands and all taxes assessed thereon must be paid at the treasurer's office by the first day of April or the same will be returned as delinquent. J. H. McCARTY, City Marshal. [illegible] Albina, Or.

CLAIRVOYANT—MRS. F. M. BROWN, NATural clairvoyant, tells the past, present and future events of your life, gives advice and results of journeys, lawsuits, speculations, etc.; mining interests a specialty; satisfaction guaranteed or no pay. No. 229½ First st., room 8. 13f14

JOHN THOMPSON & CO. HAVE BEEN APpointed agents for the purchase of rag stock for the Columbia River Paper Co., and are prepared to purchase, for cash, Rags, Burlaps, Manila rope and all other kinds of Paper stock, old iron and Metals of all kinds. 45 and 47 K st., Portland, Oregon. 8mtf

REWARD—I WILL GIVE A REWARD OF TEN dollars for the arrest and conviction of any person caught stealing the Daily or Sunday Oregonian south of Alder st. 24m D. J. MOORE, Route Agent.

OKLAHOMA—GUIDE BOOK AND MAP, CONtaining full information as to the new territory, mailed to any address on receipt of 50 cents. TYLER & CO., Publishers, 594 Wyandotte st., Kansas City, Mo. 17f20

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE—NOTICE IS hereby given that the undersigned have been duly appointed by the county court of the state of Oregon, for Multnomah county, executors of the estate of John Sax, late of said county, deceased. All persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present them, with the proper vouchers attached, within six months from the date hereof, to the said executors, at the office of the Portland Flouring Mills Company, over Ladd & Tilton's bank, corner First and Stark sts., in the city of Portland, Multnomah county, Oregon.
JOHN C. LEWIS.
CHARLES E. LADD.
Dated February 4, 1889.

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BUSINESS CHANCES FROM $200 TO $3000 AT 51 Morrison st. 17f4

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PIONEER BOAT HOUSE FOR SALE; REASON for selling, ill health. Inquire at boat house foot Madison st. 14f14

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FOR SALE—AN ESTABLISHED MANUFACturing business in a good interior town, paying about $2000 a year; no experience required; price, $700. Address box 585, Portland, Or. 17f5

FOR SALE—A GOOD PAYING BUSINESS FOR an energetic man with $5000. For full particulars address W. F. P., 1552 C st., Tacoma, W. T. This is an opportunity that is seldom offered. 9f1m

COUNTRY STORE FOR SALE—11 MILES from Portland; doing a good cash business; telegraph, postoffice and railroad station in same building. Apply to A. J. Hamilton, Beaverton, Or. 11dtf

FOR SALE—2-STORY BUILDING, PLUMBING stock and business in East Portland; upper floor contains 5 rooms, bath, gas, hot and cold water, etc.; lower floor contains complete stock of goods; best location and doing best business in East Portland. Apply at 264 L st., East Portland. 17f12

FOR SALE—A STORE AND HOTEL WITH surrounding grounds, amounting to about ten acres; all in fine assorted fruit trees; situated on O. & C. R. R. and Willamette river and a good trading point. Apply No. 11 North First st. WITHERELL & SURFACE. 13f4

MONEY TO LOAN.

MONEY TO LOAN—ON IMPROVED REAL estate. Pacific Fire Insurance Company, No. 9 Washington street. 26dtf

MONEY TO LOAN ON HOUSEHOLD FURNIture and chattels of any description (without removal) or personal note. G. H. DEDMAN, 86 2d st.

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CITY FOUNDRY AND MACHINE SHOP. R. HONEYMAN & CO., First and Columbia sts. 17f

WOLFF & ZWICKER, MACHINISTS, COR. F and Third sts.—Housework, doors, railings, iron shutters and machinery of all descriptions, planing and moulding tools to order.

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PORTLAND AND VICINITY.

[illegible].—The Mikado [illegible] met with an accident by having the head blown off her cylinder while [illegible] hunting party to Scappoose [illegible] morning, was yesterday seen tied up at the Willamette Iron Works, whither she had been taken for repairs. Captain [illegible], of the little steamer stated that the vessel was not so badly damaged as reported. "We [illegible] Scappoose," he said, "when the head of the cylinder blew off. We were only carrying [illegible] I took the casting [illegible]. Of course we were disabled, and could not get to shore until the current carried us near enough to reach it by throwing out [illegible]. We were then obliged to walk three miles to Scappoose station, from which place a part of our crew returned to the city by the train in the afternoon. The Mikado was brought back by a towboat this morning. The entire damage will not amount to over $[illegible], and by Thursday I think we will be in running order again. A new casting will have to be made for a plunger rod and cylinder head. Two ducks was the result of the day's hunt. Yes, it was fortunate that not a man was hurt."

MRS. REARDON AGAIN.—Mrs. Reardon, the chronic drunk, was yesterday again taken in tow by an officer, and locked up in the city jail. Shortly after 12 o'clock noon she was seen on B street, between First and Second, delivering an eloquent discourse to a crowd of [illegible], who received her words of wisdom with hoots and jeers and [illegible] her way to the Portland hospital, from which place she had made her escape last Saturday. When she got to the hospital she evidently imagined that she was monarch of all she surveyed, for she soon gave the matron and the house surgeon, Dr. Fanning, to understand that the institution was to be run strictly in accordance with her own advanced ideas on the subject. She became so disagreeable and annoying in her talk and carousing that it became necessary to call for an officer. Officer Morgan went after the woman and took her to the city jail, where she was given an opportunity to sleep off the effects of bad liquor without obtruding her presence on the public.

A TRAIN STOPPED BY THE SHERIFF.—At 7 o'clock last evening Sheriff Kelly and Deputy Sheriff Marquam arrived at the P. & W. V. R. R. depot on an important mission. They were armed with a writ of execution. Twenty minutes later engine No. 1 arrived from the south, and was switched on to the passenger coaches for the 8 o'clock out run. The sheriff and his deputy speedily boarded the engine and took charge of it, much to the disgust of the company's officials and the assembled and waiting passengers. The writ upon which the engine was seized was issued upon the strength of a judgment obtained February 2 by Thomas Callahan in Judge Stearns's court for $[illegible] and costs. It is the old Ray's landing road controversy, and an intention has been given out to appeal the case to the state supreme court. At an early hour this morning the train had not yet gone out.

BOTH CLAIM THE CLOTHES.—As Frank Goergel was walking along First street yesterday afternoon he observed a man wearing a coat and overcoat that had been stolen from him in Albany some time since. Seeing Officer Myers near by Mr. Goergel communicated the facts of the case, and the man was taken to the city jail and locked up. The supposed thief gave his name as William Overphet, and claimed that he had been in possession of the clothes for several years. The fit of the clothes, however, suggested that this statement could be taken with some grains of allowance. Goergel was told to put on the clothes, which he did, showing that they made a much better fit on him than on Overphet. The prisoner will have an examination in the police court this afternoon, when the ownership of the garments will no doubt be decided.

THEY COME HIGH.—Two tobacco dealers of this city yesterday paid the collector of customs the sum of $5546, as duty on 154,000 Havana cigars shipped here via New York. In six months 154 men will smoke a thousand cigars each, and each man will have paid $125 for them. The amount expended by these 154 men in six months will be $19,250. As to how much better off these 154 men would have been had they commenced putting their money out at compound interest before they had earned it, and kept on compounding it till they were 70 years old, is a problem which is left for some one with lots of leisure and mathematical knowledge to figure out.

WORK AT THE LOCKS.—A gentleman who went up to the Cascade Locks on Saturday, on the steamer Cascades of the Columbia, says the boat steamed from Bonneville right up to the locks, in thirty minutes without trouble. Work is being pushed at the locks, about 400 men being employed. The intention is to get along with the works as far as possible before they are interrupted by the June rise. Stone for the jetty at the mouth of the Columbia is being delivered at Hinkle's quarry as fast as dressed. On Saturday there were two government steamers and seven barges there at one time, which made the rock workers hustle lively.

DUST TO DUST.—The remains of the late Mrs. Adelaide Kaufman, wife of Mr. I. Kaufman, of the A. P. Hotaling Company, who died suddenly in the Palace hotel, San Francisco, last Friday night, arrived here yesterday morning, accompanied by the grief-stricken husband. The remains were conveyed to the late home of the deceased, No. 211 Ninth street, and at 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon Rev. Dr. J. Bloch read the funeral service in an impressive manner in the presence of a large concourse of friends of the deceased. The interment took place in the Jewish cemetery later in the day.

SHOULD BE LOOKED AFTER.—Under the head of "Who Has Care of the Parks?" a correspondent says: The park blocks located between East and West Park streets, above Hall, should have some one to look after them. Certainly it is not the purpose to have them driven over by teams, nor to have the trees broken down and killed; nor are they the place for crowds of boys to congregate, play baseball, tramp out the grass and turn the park into a mud park. Some steps should be taken to keep the boys from killing the trees and grass and stop teams from running over the grounds.

SUNDAY EVENING LECTURE.—Rev. Mr. Rattray's lecture Sunday evening in Emmanuel Baptist church on "Good Homes and Who Make Them," attracted a very large and intelligent audience. Men, married and single, were invited, and they were present in force. His next and third lecture in the course will be given next Sunday evening. Subject: "The Lip of Truth." The subjects of Mr. Rattray's lectures, like the lectures themselves, are out of the ordinary pulpit themes and deliverances, and the people seem much interested in them.

LOW WATER.—The water in the upper Willamette, Columbia and Snake rivers is exceedingly low and is obstructing traffic considerably. In talking to Captain Troupe, yesterday, a reporter learned that river boats are unable to travel upon the same routes this month as they did last February and if sufficient snow does not fall in the mountains this winter it will prove very disastrous to freighting interests. This will especially be true on Snake river. The rain we have had the last few days seems not to have affected the river.

CAPTURED HIS MAN.—W. O. Hutchinson, a California sheriff, departed southward on the overland last evening, having in charge C. Bromley, a defaulting and absconding constable, who had decamped from a California town, leaving his bondsmen in the lurch. Bromley was overtaken by Sheriff Hutchinson in Seattle, and taken back by virtue of a requisition previously obtained. The two had registered at a down-town hotel as from Michigan, and seem to have kept their business pretty close to themselves.

OREGON PICTURE FRAME COMPANY.—Mr. M. J. Morse has associated with himself Messrs. Paul Widell and M. W. Parelius and these three gentlemen will hereafter constitute the Oregon Picture Frame Company. The business will be enlarged and extensive additions will be made to the stock and every facility furnished for supplying all the wants of the trade. The new firm, by strict attention to business, hopes to deserve a continuance of the liberal patronage extended to the old company.

SHOOTING CLUB.—Down at Ilwaco they have a rifle and shotgun club, comprising about seventy members, among whom are a considerable number of good shots. At the regular shoot of the Rod and Gun club last week the Peoria blackbird badge was won by Mr. Al Leroy. The rifle club held its shoot the same day and the badge was won by H. Embler. These clubs will make a showing at the next tournament in these parts.

TWO MORE CASES.—Charles Brown and John Frederick, charged with selling liquor to Indians, and examined and held to answer by United States Commissioner F. Page-Tustin, were brought down from Pendleton yesterday by Deputy Marshal Furnish. It would be a good idea to build a corral at Pendleton and gather up a drove of these whisky-to-Indians old bummers and drive them down afoot to save their railroad fares.

MORE MAIL CARRIERS.—In accordance with instructions from Washington Postmaster Roby has engaged two additional letter carriers, making sixteen in all. As evidence of how business has increased at the postoffice here, it may be stated that the number of carriers employed when Mr. Roby took charge of the office, less than four years ago, was seven. He is endeavoring to obtain permission to put on another.

INFORMATION is desired as to the whereabouts of Jacob Schwarz, late of Walla Walla. Address the A. P. Hotaling Company, Portland, Or., or A. Schwarz, Walla Walla.

THE RUSH to the great carpet sale of the Oregon Furniture Manufacturing Company still continues. Carpets and curtains at first cost.

NOW IS YOUR TIME.—If you want bargains in overcoats, call at Kohn's, Second and Morrison. He is selling $25 overcoats to-day for $15.

ANOTHER WEEK.—Photos $1 per dozen. Eastman, First and Jefferson, and H., between Fourth and Fifth, East Portland.

WE WILL SHOW TO-DAY elegant new styles [illegible] at 25 cents each, at Kohn's, Second and Morrison streets.

[illegible] Twenty-second and [illegible].

THE PLACE to buy [illegible].

[illegible].—The Portland Social Turn Verein stretched two artistically designed banners, announcing their grand carnival, across First and Third streets, which seem to be a great attraction for the passing public. The Turn Verein's carnival takes place on the 4th of March. Popular prices: Gent maskers, $1; lady maskers, 50 cents; spectators, 50 cents.

WILL HAVE TO KEEP AWAKE.—Mr. Thielsen has ordered three register clocks for use at the Northern Pacific lumber mill. They will be used as a check upon the two watchmen employed about the place at night. The clocks are provided with an attachment by which the watchman will register his presence at the place every half hour. A clock will be placed in the mill and one at each end of the grounds.

A NEW MATE.—Mr. Charles Howard, the new first officer of the Bement, arrived yesterday morning from California and immediately entered upon his duties. He came from San Francisco via Yaquina, on the Willamette, and seems well pleased with his position. The former first officer is thinking of going to Seattle to locate.

A NEW OFFICE.—The office of the Oregon Improvement Company, damaged by fire a few days since, has been torn down and will be replaced by a larger and more commodious one. As the company intended to build a new office soon, the loss of the old one does not amount to much.

LUMBER FOR SOUTH AMERICA.—The City of Carlisle, McKechnie, master, which sailed for Portland from Liverpool September 24, and is therefore now due, has been chartered by the North Pacific Lumber Company and will be loaded by them with an assorted cargo of lumber for Valparaiso, Chili, South America.

LET TAXPAYERS REMEMBER.—Citizens are unusually backward about coming forward and paying up their taxes this year, says City Treasurer Monastes. People who have put off the inevitable so long will do well to remember that taxes will soon become delinquent, and it is well to be up and doing.

STONE BEING RECEIVED.—Stone for the foundation on which boilers and engines at the new Exposition building are to be placed, are being received from the butte back of East Portland and teams are now hauling it from the cars to the Fair Association's ground.

CHATTERBOX SOCIAL.—The young people of Taylor-street M. E. church will give an entertainment and chatterbox social in the church parlors to-morrow evening. An excellent programme and refreshments will be provided. Admission 10 cents.

SPLENDIDLY MATCHED.—In addition to those remnants at J. Selling & Co.'s, they are showing today forty pieces of spring serges, with new plaids, manufactured to match them exactly. Price 22½ cents. Width thirty-eight inches.

GONE EAST.—Mr. James G. Woodworth, assistant general freight agent of the O. R. & N. Co., has gone East on leave of absence for a month. He will visit his parents and may go as far as Washington to witness the inauguration.

DIED OF BLOOD POISONING.—J. E. Beal, the man who was brought to St. Vincent hospital from Arlington last Saturday, died yesterday morning of blood poisoning.

CITY TAXES.—There are only a few days left in which to pay taxes before becoming delinquent, so taxpayers are requested to call early at 185 First street.

JOHN M. CAPES, 183½ First street, has only a few lots left in Cloverdale at $200 each. See ad.

JOHN CRAN & Co. received one case of Scotch ginghams.

MARRIAGE CEREMONY ON THE BEMENT.

Captain Franck United to Miss Yates, of Roundpound, Me., Yesterday on Shipboard.

Captain Louis A. Franck, of the handsome ship C. S. Bement, was united in the bonds of matrimony yesterday afternoon to Miss Kate M. Yates, of Roundpound, Me. Rev. A. J. Brown officiated. Miss Yates has just come from Portland, Me., arriving here yesterday. She was met by the captain at Wallula Junction Sunday evening, and they arrived here yesterday at 11 A. M. The bride's father was for many years master of a ship on which Captain Franck was first officer. Captain Yates always had his family with him upon his voyages, and at that time a deep attachment sprang up between the happy couple, which culminated yesterday in their union.

The C. S. Bement was decorated with the colors, including the burgee, hanging at the head of the mainmast, with eight signal flags attached, and the national ensign with four signal flags fastened to the mizzen peak.

The ceremony was simple but impressive, and after a few appropriate remarks by the clergyman, the company adjourned to the forward cabin where the wedding dinner was served. Mrs. Franck appeared well pleased with the Bement, as well she might be, as few vessels afloat are her peers. She will accompany her husband to England and from thence to New York city. Having been upon the ocean a good deal, the trip will not be a new one to her, and, judging from the beaming countenance of the captain, it will be the happiest voyage he has ever made.

Those present at the ceremony were Colonel C. F. Beebe, Captain Davis of the C. S. Hulbert, Captain Isenfeldt of the Augusta, F. C. Hageman and ye reporter. A few presents were tendered the bride, among which was a fine organ presented by Captain Franck. This is probably the first marriage on board ship that has taken place at Portland—at least for many years. This seems to be the golden link of the interesting chain of circumstances in the career of this beautiful ship since she left New York, and no doubt it insures a perfect circle of happiness.

SALES OF REAL ESTATE.

DEEDS FILED FEBRUARY 18.

Alfred Goodnough to J. C. Hillman, lot 4, blk 15, Kenworthy's addition, East Portland, Feb. 14; $1000.
H. B. Oatman and wife to R. Bruce, lot 2, blk 1, Smith's sub. to East Portland, Feb. 16; $150.
M. M. Spaulding and wife to L. A. Terry, N ½ of lot 5, blk 157, Couch's addition, March 9, 1882; $550.
Theo. Wygant and wife to Mrs. A. W. Bennett, lots 1 and 2, blk 10, Highland, Feb. 6; $300.
Wm. Reid and wife to Paul Wessinger, lots 11, 12, 18, 29 and 40, blk 29, Albina, Feb. 14; $2100.
W. Johnson and wife to John Poole, lots 12 and 15, blk 45, Proebstel's, Feb. 16; $1000.
W. R. Brainerd and wife to A. Andrews, lot 21, blk 4, City View addition to Albina, Feb. 16; $200.
East Side R. E. Co. to J. C. Havely, blk 232, Holladay's addition, Jan. 30; $4200.
Mary Reynolds to Catherine Woods, lot 8, blk 198, and S ½ lot 2 and N 41 ft. of lot 3, blk 144, E. P., Jan. 24; $1.
E. C. Wheeler to G. M. Forbes, 115 62-100 acres, secs. 3, 4 and 9, 1 N, 1 W, Feb. 15; $1250.
A. J. Sutherland to Mary E. Sutherland, lots 14 and 16, blk 1, Brown's tract, Feb. 18; $1.
Mary E. Sutherland to A. J. Sutherland, lot 13 and 15, blk 1, Brown's tract, Feb. 18; $1.
J. B. Bristol to E. M. Sargeant, lot 4, blk 315, Marshall's addition, East Portland, Feb. 16; $1000.
John Catlin to Clara E. Barton, 9 39-100 acres, sec. 9, 1 N, 1 E, Feb. 11; $2150.
A. W. Wright, jr. and wife to P. J. Coleman et al., lots 1 and 2, blk 118, Grover's addition, city, Feb. 15; $1800.
D. F. Sherman and wife to S. E. Winter, blk 15, Cloverdale extension, Feb. 11; $225.
T. H. Smith to L. E. Justin, lot 20, Little Homes, Feb. 18; $500.
T. Henry to T. H. Smith, lot 20, Little Homes, Feb. 17; $450.
E. W. Gould and wife to George Knight Clark, 1 acre, Base Line road, East Portland, Feb. 15; $1400.
C. W. and Z. R. Goodin to F. C. Goodin, lots 15 and 16, blk 79, Sellwood, Nov. 2, 1888; $880.
F. Ridley and wife to A. W. Belding et al., lot 9, blk 12, South Portland, Feb. 13; $425.
Total, $19,595.

LOCAL NOTES.

The Woman's North Pacific board will meet to-day at the First Presbyterian church, at 2:30 P. M.

Mr. M. W. Parelius is the gentleman who is associated with Messrs. Morse & Widdell, in the Oregon Picture Frame Company. In the mention of the company yesterday his name was incorrectly spelled.

UNPRECEDENTED.

The rush for white, curly-haired Angora rugs, 3x6 feet. $3 50 each. Send for one. Samples of carpets sent to the interior. H. F. Gullixson & Co., 104 Third street, Abington block, Portland, Or.

Geo. W. Elliott, Ellensburgh, W. T., makes specialty of front foot business property and controls the most valued. Bank references: Ben E. Snipes & Co., Ellensburgh National.

Through Pullman sleepers and dining cars; also second-class sleepers through to the East via Northern Pacific Railroad. Office, No. 121 First St., corner Washington.

Realize the most money by selling your cast-off furniture, stoves, carpets, clothing, etc., to I. Gevurtz, 181-3-5 Front street, near Yamhill.

For Coughs and Colds

Try our "*Pectoral Balsam*" (copyrighted), the old and reliable cough medicine prepared by S. G. Skidmore & Co., druggists, 151 First street.

"The World of Cant," a companion of Robert Elsmere at Dekum's. Price 50c.

Something new every day at Freimann's Annex, 76 Oak street.

BUSINESS ITEMS.

Oregon Electric Relief for pain. Try it. For sale by all druggists.

Woven Wire Spring Beds. George M. Parker, 181 Fifth street. Trade supplied.

The Vienna.

Washington street, leads all for lunches and oysters.

Did She Get Squeezed?

Rain—crowded street car—handsome lady and gentleman on platform. Gentleman (to those inside): "Can you squeeze a lady in there?" Chorus of male voices—"Yes, certainly." Lady goes in—gets squeezed.—R. C. Dunn. "Mr. W. C. Shultz, Columbia, [illegible] was wounded, tortured and depleted in health [illegible]. "I've gained fifteen pounds of solid flesh by Simmons Liver Pills," he says. "These pills and good health go hand in hand."

EAST OF THE MOUNTAINS.

The Weather Report Received Yesterday at the O. R. & N. Office.

Bonneville—Cloudy; calm; 38 deg.
Hood River—Cloudy; calm; 40 deg.
The Dalles—Cloudy; calm; 30 deg.
Grant's Pass—Cloudy; calm; 32 deg.
Arlington—Cloudy; calm; 34 deg.
Umatilla—Cloudy; calm; 32 deg.
Wallula—Cloudy; calm; 37 deg.
Walla Walla—Cloudy; calm; 30 deg.
Dayton—Cloudy; calm; 25 deg.
Pomeroy—Cloudy; calm.
Riparia—Cloudy; calm; 25 deg. Two inches below low water mark.
Colfax—Cloudy; calm; 20 deg.
Pendleton—Cloudy; calm; 29 deg. Three inches of snow.
Kamela—Cloudy; calm; 23 deg. Nine inches of snow.
La Grande—Cloudy; calm; 30 deg. Six inches of snow.
Baker City—Cloudy; calm; 25 deg.
Huntington—Cloudy; calm; 22 deg.
North Powder—Cloudy; calm; 15 deg. Three inches of snow.

U. S. SIGNAL SERVICE WEATHER REPORT.

PORTLAND, Feb. 18, 1889.

Place of Observation.	Hight of Bar.	Ch'ge last 12 hours	Ther.	Wind direction.	Rain fall inch	State of Weather.
Portland	30.36	.04	44	NW	.01	Cloudy
Olympia	30.30	.04	42	SW	.00	Pt'ly Cdy
Roseburg	30.38	.02	44	W	.00	Pt'ly Cdy
Red Bluff	30.30	—.10	54	Calm	.00	Cloud.'ss
Sacramento	30.32	—.04	58	SE	.00	Cloud'ss
Eureka	30.38	......	44	N	.00	Cloudl'ss
Spokane	30.28	......	24	NW	.00	Cloudy
Walla Walla	30.28	......	36	SW	T	Cloudy
Canby	30.32	.02	41	W	.01	Cloudy

Local Report.

Pacific Coast Time.	Bar.	Ther.	Rel. Hum.	Direc. of Wind	Veloc. of Wind	Rain	Wthr.
5 A. M.	30.32	36	91	S.	Lt.	.00	Cl'dy
5 P. M.	30.30	44	70	NW.	Lt.	.01	Cl'dy

Maximum temperature, 48.0; minimum temperature, 36.0. River at 5 A. M., 1.7 feet. Change in 24 hours, 0.2.

	Normal.	Mean.	Departure from Normal.	Excess or deficiency since Jan. 1.	Excess or deficiency since July 1, 1888.
Temperature	41	40	—1	85	13
Precipitation	.26	.01	—.25	—1.49	—6.74

TO-DAY'S WEATHER.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 18.—Indications for twenty-four hours for Oregon and Washington territory: Fair weather in Southern Oregon, local rains elsewhere; westerly winds; nearly stationary temperature.

PASSENGER LISTS.

OVERLAND.

Oregon Short Line—Passed Huntington, February 18: J. Seely, M. M. Lawrence, W. G. Morgan, Miss Nellie Ronald, A. Kelly, J. A. Kelly, Miss H. L. Kelly, J. M. Hume, C. H. Codige, W. W. Dodge, I. L. Slatemy, E. W. Valentine, W. H. Dumphy, F. Swan, J. W. Burns and forty second class.

Oregon & California:—S. A. Harris, R. A. Boyle and wife, E. A. Spencer, B. E. Snipes, wife and son, C. J. Allatt, S. H. Young, M. J. Isaacs, R. A. Wetherall, S. E. Ross, A. C. Brown, P. H. Collier, A. C. Collier, A. C. Merryman, Mrs. Wetherall, George S. Withers, Dr. Cliff and wife, H. S. Moore, N. M. Moore, Miss Fanny Rutherford, V. S. Smith, G. W. Holl, A. B. Garlock, wife and daughter, and forty second-class.

AUCTION SALE TO-DAY

Household furniture, etc., at 42 First st., at 10 o'clock by Gilman & Co., auctioneers.

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By taking Mother Cary's (Eucalyptus) Gum Tree Cough Syrup. It does not affect the stomach or bind the bowels. Skidmore & Co. agents, 151 First street, Portland, Or.

FOR DYSPEPSIA and Liver Complaint, you have a printed guarantee on every bottle of Shiloh's Vitalizer. It never fails to cure. Skidmore & Co., druggists.

"Robert Elsmere" for sale by C. H. Wilcox, 150 First street. Mailed on receipt of 50 cents.

Union Ticket office removed to 121 First street, corner Washington.

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Jewelry of All Descriptions Manufactured to Order.
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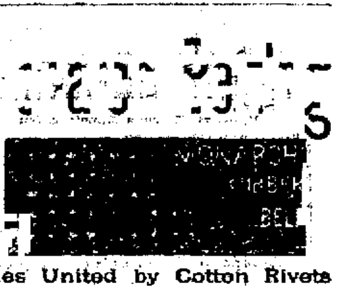

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No Pain—No Bad Effects.
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Dr. E. C. Brown, Diseases of the Eye and Ear, [illegible]

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TO-DAY
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All the new shades in wide Wales and fancy Cheviots in light and dark colors.

SPRING SHAPES
—IN—
STIFF HATS.

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Three Cases
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—AND—
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We have just received from our Mr. Olds, now in New York, a very large invoice of
LADIES' MUSLIN UNDERWEAR,
A part of which was bought at about one-half the regular price of these goods.
Any garment in this JOB LOT--CHEMEISES, DRAWERS, SKIRTS, NIGHT DRESSES and CORSET COVERS--will be sold at the very low price of $1.
SALE OF TOILET ARTICLES
STILL CONTINUE.
SEE DISPLAY IN CORNER WINDOW
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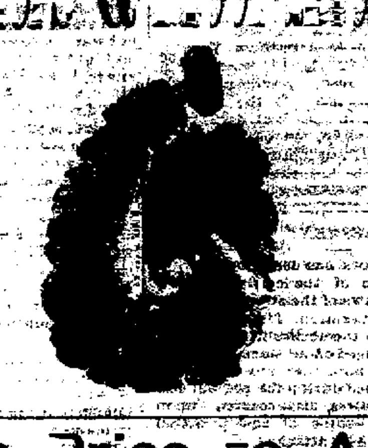

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WEDNESDAY, FEB. 20th,
THURSDAY, FEB. 21st,
FRIDAY, FEB. 22d,
We will offer the balance of our
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At 25c per yard.
We have just 27 pieces left, and the sale will come to a close even before Friday, if the stock is exhausted.
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Plain or Embroidered Backs, Lined or Unlined, all at one uniform price, 31c per pair.
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All sizes, Black or Colored, for the uniform price of 35c per yard.
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For 67c per Garment.

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Odds and Ends in
LADIES' SLIPPERS and TIES.
ONE DOLLAR PER PAIR
Will be the price of same for this week only. They range in value from $1.50 to $2.00 per pair.

Our [illegible] Sale
Still continues in all departments. It will positively close March 1st. All of you in search of Remnants, Odds and Ends, etc., can supply your wants in any one of our many departments at closing prices.
BARGAINS FOR EVERYBODY.
Store Closes at 7 P. M., sharp.
The Farmers' & Mechanics' Store,
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The Oregonian.

PORTLAND, TUESDAY, FEB. 19.

NO STRANGERS NEED APPLY.

There is one church in New York City that boldly announces that it does not propose to furnish gospel privileges to those unable to pay for seats in the sanctuary. In other words, it does not care to save souls, promiscuously, its object being to furnish gospel as an amusement to those who hold tickets to the show This is the Protestant Episcopal Church of St. Thomas, on Fifty-third street and Fifth avenue, and its congregation is the wealthiest in the city. Its "manager" does not mince matters. He says "We haven't any room in our church for people who do not pay pew rent. Our trouble is, not to find place for strangers, but to keep them out."

There is at least one thing commendable in the declaration of the "manager" of this grand Sunday resort of wealth and fashion. It is void of hypocrisy and sham, and it seems to be, all things considered, the only profession of principle connected with the institution that is genuine.

Of course the right of those who build a magnificent church, furnish it sumptuously and pay a modern pulpit elocutionist a handsome fortune yearly, to read the prayers and tell the people what they need not do to be saved, to keep the common herd at bay is unquestioned, as long as shotguns are not used to effect this purpose. And, as to expediency, people who have all the money they can use and much more, can afford to disdain so common a subterfuge as that. But to conduct such an institution in the name of the Lord Jesus is something of a libel upon the character of the lowly Nazarene, whose proclaimed mission was to "preach the Gospel to every creature."

What sad disappointment and disgust awaits these "worshipers," if in the next stage of their existence they find the programme carried out according to their creed! To see people who "can't pay," "strangers" who were warned away from the earthly tabernacle of the Lord making themselves happy about the golden streets, and at home in the gorgeous temples of the New Jerusalem, will be sufficient to make those who were wont to consider themselves the "very elect" feel as if the haven of their theology was, after all, a very common-place abode—incomparably cheaper than the gilded portals through which they, in passing, made mimicry of adoration They may be mercifully spared this sight, however, by being warned away from each of the twelve gates of the Holy City by the familiar legend, "No stranger need apply"

The federal statistics of the militia of the country show that the organized militia of states and territories consisted, at the latest returns, of 8397 officers and 98,109 men, making an aggregate of 106,506. This is a gain of 5669 over the aggregate of last year, which was 100,837. Since the passage of the act of congress doubling the annual appropriation to the militia, the gains have been greater in ratio than before. The unorganized militia is estimated at 8 000,000 men In organized militia New York leads off as first with 13,592; Pennsylvania reports 8351 and Ohio 5627. South Carolina comes next with 5305, only 322 less than Ohio, although the unorganized militia of South Carolina are but 115,000 against Ohio's 450,000 Massachusetts comes next with 5162, and Georgia is sixth, surpassing Illinois by a few hundred Illinois reports 4219 and New Jersey 4184 The next state is California, and among states very strong in organized militia in proportion to population the report of General Drum names Connecticut Florida New Hampshire and Oregon Arkansas has no organized militia. Indiana has an organized strength of only 2045 to 468 935 unorganized, whereas in Alabama these proportions are 2244 to 150,000, in Maryland 1983 to 125, in Iowa, 2543 to 223,344 So we find in Tennessee an organized strength of only 1557 against an unorganized of 262,801, whereas Louisiana has 1610 against an unorganized strength of 138 439 New Mexico reports an organized militia strength of 1657 which is greater than that of Kentucky

Ellensburg, W T, constructed twenty five brick buildings in 1888 and already has contracts made for sixteen to be put up in 1889 It would not be surprising if there were fifty brick buildings erected there during the present year It is a beautifully located town and has more enterprise and push to it than is common but then Ellensburg is ambitious of being the state-capital and stands a good show for being so within a year or two The ambition to be a state capital however never caused men to put up great blocks of brick stores that were not needed Ellensburg is the central figure of a rich region and that place and North Yakima must be distributing points for all the country north of there which includes agricultural and pasturage lands and a great mining region There is only a shadowy idea as yet of what the future will do for that country and what requirements the time to come will make but the people of Ellensburg seem to be determined to deserve great things and that is the way to realize them The Yakima reservation is a decided drawback to North Yakima as the best land around there has been reserved for the Indians who are tolerably good as Indians, but won t develop the country and improve it as white men would Crowds of strangers are pouring into Ellensburg There is a good country around there to settle, and a live town and country always draw people. Enterprise pays

The supreme court reports of this state will hereafter be printed in the state printer's office at Salem There is no reason why they should not have been printed there for years past unless it is the old one of "precedent." It cheapens the industries of the state in the view of outsiders to send away from home for common mechanical work A few years ago the State Agricultural Society got its advertising circulars printed in Cincinnati. They were gorgeous with red and blue ink and fancy lettering but there were those who believed, and did not hesitate to say that the work could have been done quite as effectively, if not as gorgeously here as in Cincinnati, and the board of managers was soundly censured for paying state money to get that work done elsewhere, that could and should have been kept at home These supreme court reports have for a generation been printed in San Francisco Custom ruled in the matter and the reports followed each other year after year apparently as a matter of course and without protest from any interested party At least, we believe the matter was never brought to the attention of the state legislature before, and the prompt action recorded in the matter indicates that the correction would have been made long ago for the asking

New buildings erected for mercantile purposes in Boston provide for the delivery and reception of merchandise so as to avoid interfering with persons passing to and fro on the sidewalk. A small courtyard is included in the building lot, into which teams can be driven and be loaded and unloaded without subjecting the general public to great discomfort as at present. Goods will no longer be piled upon the sidewalk Of the importance of this reform of a public abuse which Portland feels to-day on Front street, the Boston *Herald* says:

A truck load of goods will be backed up to the front of a warehouse, skids will be thrown across the sidewalk to the doorway and the goods will be rolled or moved in. In the meantime the passers by are compelled to [illegible], the obstruction to travel in the [illegible] that they can, and in wet and muddy weather the work of circumnavigation is often attended with not a few disagreeable features. Besides, the location of the dray and the horse part way across the street is frequently a decided detriment to the free use of the thoroughfare by other teams and horse cars, causing not only inconvenience, but delay Equitably considered, the owners of the team and of the store have no more right to inconvenience the public in its ordinary travel than the passers by would have to crowd in such numbers in front of a store as to prevent the team from unloading. In fact, one has just as much right as the other

A writer in *Harper's Weekly*, describing our navy, says that besides the wooden ships, there are now afloat, building or authorized thirty-one of steel or iron Four of them, the Roach cruisers are in commission "fast, well-armed and efficient." Two more can be put into active service on very short notice; the Yorktown and Vesuvius Three which will soon follow, the Charleston Baltimore and Newark, ought to be unsurpassed by any other ships in the world" and of two which will also be ready within a twelvemonth Lieutenant Kelley says that "the Philadelphia resembles the Baltimore the San Francisco the Charleston though both the latter ships have their batteries better disposed and are guaranteed under penalty to make nineteen knots" As to armor plates and guns, we now have establishments for producing them "which within a year will make us independent of the world"

The collapse of a fourteen story building erected on fifty feet square of ground and nearing completion is reported from Chicago The building was not a shoddy structure put up with reference to cheapness as well as to utilizing every inch of space and intended for the occupancy of a cheap class of tenants On the contrary it was in the center of the business section of the busy, bustling city, and its tenants would have been business men This puts a serious phase on the question of going skyward in order to economize space in a city as it proves that the use of the best material combined with the utmost skill and care in construction cannot certainly insure these very lofty buildings from sudden collapse

Dr Tanner wants to be buried, after first going into a trance, and after four weeks he wishes to be disinterred and resuscitated He should be allowed to "discipline himself" as he puts it, in this way if he chooses His friends could conveniently forget to disinter him at the designated time, if they thought there was the slightest possibility that he might be again galvanized into a semblance of life. His various experiments upon his mortal body have proved nothing except that it is the much abused tenement that keeps a tiresome crank before the public with his useless theories Let him order his own funeral, by all means. Let him be buried, and then let us hope that the persons who did the job will forget to dig him up

Some say it wouldn't be constitutional for the state to build portage railroads at the Cascades and The Dalles. That objection is the usual expedient of those who haven t public spirit to do anything When a thing isn't positively forbidden by the constitution, and would redound to the benefit of the whole state, it can t be unconstitutional to do it. Let us build the portage roads at the Cascades and at The Dalles and hear the arguments against the constitutionality of the work afterwards.

Crown Prince Rudolph's "chum" has been invited to leave Austria It will occur to most people that it is rather late in the day to begin to repair damages to the character of the "late lamented" made by evil associations Nevertheless the sorely disappointed emperor no doubt feels like getting the disreputable companion of his son's reckless career out of his sight and as he has power to enforce his wishes the unlucky chum will go abroad for his health

NOTE AND COMMENT.

It is evident that there will be a great demand for labor in 1889 to build railroads, as well as for many local improvements that are to be pushed. The Oregon Pacific will probably build eastward through the Cascades the O R & N Co will be constructing several new branch roads or feeders, necessary for their system Over on the Sound the Seattle Lake Shore and Eastern will be pushed, and the road from Whatcom to the British line, as well as various roads near the coast, as to Grays Harbor and south from Astoria Take all things into consideration and we may expect a busy year and hope for a prosperous one

The Idaho panhandle need not fear annexation to Washington, as that has become a dead issue no longer entertained by anyone. The time has outgrown it there is need of more states on the Pacific, and as they forget to wake Washington and call her early, the proposition now is to take Washington in a little late in the day and take Idaho in along towards the eve of the next presidential election. By that time she will have far more than enough population to entitle her to a seat in congress which is the criterion With Oregon, Washington Idaho and Montana as states, there will be six of the sisters on the Pacific, and twelve votes in the senate will be a power worth the world's consideration So Idaho must keep the "panhandle" to operate with

The influx of settlers and over-eating of stock caused grass through all the Inland Empire to be short last fall and only that the winter has not been severe the losses would have been great. As it is much stock has died and people have learned a lesson that should not be forgotten There is often too much stock on the range, and owing to settlements increasing the range grows constantly less The day of great cattle ranges grows less and less as years pass, and the time is now at hand when cattle should only be owned by actual settlers, and no great herds roam at will over the country Of course, the mere range interest can not be compared to the settler's interest. The country everywhere wants permanent settlers, home builders and not a mere stock range

Apprehension is felt by some lest money appropriated under the Cauthorn bill for the benefit of the state agricultural college may in some way benefit the M E Church South but this bill provides for the purchase of a farm and the putting up of buildings on the land thus purchased, and not on the land in controversy There is little reason to fear the issue of the pending suit. So far the supreme court has decided that the church party has standing in the court, but has not rendered any decision on the main question so we can place confidence in a good cause and need not distrust the eventual findings in the case The church will never finger a dollar of the money to be expended under this bill and no man is more earnestly opposed to its so doing than is Senator Cauthorn

Klamath lake is so close to the Cascade range that no crops can grow there with certainty Years ago at the Indian agency they only planted turnips and rye and occasionally an August frost nipped these crops There are compensations Klamath Indians graze their ponies and cattle on the range, and do teaming for the agency and the fort to make a living The Klamath marsh grows a seed like rice that they eat also roots that are edible They earn money to buy flour hunt for meat, and occasionally kill a beef. A new resource promises to help out Klamath When the Southern Pacific railroad gets there they can cut ice and ship indefinitely to all the world The ice crop never fails and the present season which is so mild with us, gives a better ice crop than usual at Klamath says the *Star*

The *Post Intelligencer* of Seattle offers a cash prize of $150 for the best $50 for the second best and $25 for the third best plan in detail of selecting and planting trees in the proper proportion of 1200 apple trees and 200 each of cherry pear, plum and peach 2200 in all a "general purpose" orchard of twenty acres This prize was to have been awarded before now but is now postponed until spring. All papers must be sent to the *Post Intelligencer* by May 6 1889 when they will be submitted to a committee and the award made by June 1 1889 This is probably intended to encourage orcharding and tree planting The Puget sound region is as good a country as can be found for fruit growing and it is well to encourage it. It does not appear that any limit is placed so any one who feels inclined can compete for the above prizes.

The young man who is now emperor of Germany, rises at 5 o'clock these late mornings, and his children rise at 6 o clock and take breakfast with him at 7 o clock, when their lessons begin. The chronicler fails to say when the little ones begin to play The young emperor has physical troubles all the time and keeps a celebrated doctor busy attending to them In the lower house of the Prussian diet the progressists protested against increasing the imperial allowance by 3,500,000 marks. They easily proved that the wealth of the imperial family is enormous It requires seventy seven stewards to collect their private revenue. When we read this, we also cannot fail to remember that while the Emperor William was so many years accumulating, and having this enormous wealth grow up, his son, Frederick, crown prince for so many years, whose short career as Kaiser makes such a pitiful figure in modern history—with an incurable disease that was the seal of death upon him and his noble purposes—was not even allowed sufficient income to live as became his rank and had no part in the government or position of consequence, save when Prussia was engaged in war and needed his services to command her armies. Then he could expose himself like a common soldier and bravely did so Surely, with such immense resources the old kaiser could have done something more to make life worth living to this noble son who was the noblest Roman of them all But then Prince Bismarck didn't set much store by this poor imperial Frederick.

While we have had an unusually dry winter for Oregon, San Francisco had only 1.87 inches of rain in January, only one-fourth of the average rain fall for that month, and there had been no rain there up to the middle of February Here, rains have been so light that the ground is too dry to plow new land, and wells that are fifty feet deep that go dry in summer and usually have plenty of water in the fall, have had no water in them up to this time. California has not had a serious drouth for some years, though last year the wheat fields over a large part of the state were a failure and did not even make hay Of late, they irrigate fruit lands and so make crops with certainty

How fine it is that Cleveland has found out that he didn t care to be president again and only yielded at urgent solicitation of friends! Then too, he has such confidence in the future of the democracy says it is a grand party and is proud of it. The president is going to practice law in a dignified way He won t pettifog you know, but will put in a general appearance and give sound advice for a consideration If he don t succeed better in giving advice to his clients than he has of late in the advice he has given democracy, they won t be the much better for it. But then Cleveland performing a part as counsel and according to circumstances, won t be like Cleveland cock of the walk, and bullying the whole nation He will find sure enough, that it will be changed conditions that confront him, not mere Cleveland theories.

The Spangle *Record* says Washington is bound to outstrip Oregon has already almost as many people and as much wealth Nobody in Oregon grudges Washington its prosperity for the prosperity of one means the prosperity of both states There are wonderful resources in both states, and it may surprise the *Record* to know that to-day Washington is really more settled than Oregon One-half this state has scarcely any population, while Washington is more settled over all its area than our own state. When the census of 1890 comes the returns may not justify the boasts made so freely without figures to back them up This state has no great corporation to shove people into it and show them where to locate but for all that it gains steadily and despite its outrageous system of not assessing property fully we can take any bluff Washington will give in 1890

Cleveland has imagined that he was personally popular because he received the adulation of sycophants, and the glitter of his high office induced a young girl to marry him It reminds one of the venerable old, white haired dominie who went somewhere to preach and received numerous requests for locks of his hair The compliment was very grateful He wore his white locks long and flowing In time it transpired there was a rage for hair work in that place and the young ladies wanted his silken locks to work "lilies of the valley" His pride fell and his vanity expired Cleveland will go through a similar lesson. The late ex-Senator Nesmith says when in Washington he was accosted as "Mr Senator" with the utmost respect but the first thing he heard when he stepped off the steamer plank on his return to Portland would be "Hello there comes Jim Nesmith"

There is one thing the Spangle *Record* says that has snap to it, and comes home on Oregon with considerable force It says that, besides their great resources in mines, timber and agricultural land, harbors and rivers the people of Washington have five times as much energy as the people of Oregon. We take this as considerably true. A Washington legislature wouldn t hold fast to a mortgage tax law, uphold the veto of a water bill, or defeat the horticultural commission bill. This state is waiting for the new element to outgrow the old—for live men to come here and wake up the world around the ears of the sleepy Missourians and dull eyed old fogies who would be afraid to entertain a new idea for fear it would give them a nightmare This state could "let its dead past bury its dead" to good advantage and drop into the vortex a good many who mistakingly think they are alive

The Walla Walla *Journal* says a man was asked two prices for a lot in Portland and when he asked the cause of the high price was told it was because a fine view of Mount Hood belonged to the premises He was not romantic, so the lot was not sold This story may be true and may not. Mount Hood is one of the perquisites of all Portland real estate You get a fine view from the Stark street ferry, a finer one farther back and a much finer one from the magnificent hights back of town There are people who would pay a trifle more to have an exquisite view of Hood thrown in, chromo fashion, if they didn t already possess it. Yet a citizen who was very proud of the fact that Mount Hood always stood sentinel at his front door—when the weather permitted the old warrior to be out—planted a line of maple trees that in time grew and shut off the view of the mountain and for years past he has tried to decide which he prized most the mountain or the trees As a usual thing a view of Mount Hood should add to the value of property but some men—very few however don t appreciate the wonders of nature

Belle Boyd the ex rebel spy who was lately shot and killed in the Indian territory, was a "female terror" She rode and dressed like a man and was a sure shot she raided caroused and rioted with the worst yet she was educated and accomplished and managed to fascinate men when she had a daughter grown up At the time of her death she was Mrs James Starr She lived in West Virginia in 1861 and joined Stonewall Jackson's brigade as a spy Three times she was captured and sentenced to be shot and [illegible] commuted her sentence Once she was taken while on the way to England for Jeff Davis When released she married Lieutenant Harding, her captor He lived only a few months She tried the stage was a lecturer without much success. She married a second time Her third husband was Mr High of Detroit the fourth Colonel Hammond in 1880 He died and she went to Texas, where she married Colonel Younger the famous robber, for the fifth and Sam and Jim Starr for the sixth and seventh If she had not met with premature death from an assassin's bullet there is no telling how much more matrimony she might have been capable of Blue Beard couldn t hold a candle to her It hardly seems possible that this woman could have lived such a life and have been such an outlaw for several of her late husbands were of that ilk The tales of the Southwest include wild women as well as reckless and murderous men

The United States has no coast defenses to speak of and not much of a navy according to modern ideas. It is rather strange that while our war revolutionized the naval theories of the world and was the key note to modern naval progress our nation has not kept up with the times and even China has a more formidable lot of war ships than we have But, while we don t build war ships that can go out of fashion and become useless, we are inventive enough to produce guns and missiles that can knock out all the ships the world can send against us The latest is the Zalinski dynamite gun, made for the new cruiser Vesuvius Missiles with 500 pounds of dynamite have been successfully fired, and judging by ordinary force of dynamite shown in a hand bomb it will be seen that such a gun, fired at a distance and accomplishing such accuracy as was made at this trial, will do an enormous amount of damage The German iron-clads may as well keep away The next thing is can our folks keep their inventions to themselves? A story recently went the rounds telling how a German officer came over here during our civil war hired out to our navy yards as a machinist learned all our inventions and wrote up all his findings at night to send back to his superiors An American officer can not even get inside a German navy yard much less know what is done there Uncle Samuel is far too confiding and should learn secresy some time or other

Hillsboro people are figuring on a fruit cannery Such an enterprise will do much for the town and the country around it, as it will encourage orcharding of all kinds and the setting out of small fruits for the supply of the cannery The work of a cannery commences in May when berries, corn and white beans and peas come and lasts all through varying from vegetables to fruits and affording occupation a great part of the year to many hands Many vegetables can be canned to advantage and our products all have superior quality for this purpose Apples pay to can because when the solid part is thus used almost as much value remains in the peelings and cores for the purpose of making jellies and vinegar

A cannery at any good point conducted well and showing energy will build up other interests and distribute money to the surrounding country Work can begin in May and continue on apples and pears and all fruits and vegetables for fully nine months and the months remaining can be devoted to making cans and becoming ready for the year's work. The only thing we lack is peaches and apricots The usual pack of a California cannery is 20 per cent. each peaches and apricots 15 per cent cherries and pears 10 per cent plums or about this proportion It is not possible to grow apricots here but peaches can be grown in good localities and should be planted wherever conditions are favorable

ASTORIA'S OPPOSITION

ASTORIA Feb 17 1889

TO THE EDITOR OF THE OREGONIAN

In opposing the pilot bill which you have been advocating we are simply contending for our own interests as every community has a right to do and should do

The O R & N Co offer a cheap rate for pilotage and towage combined This arrangement would run vessels right past Astoria and we would not get our share of their trade

We fight this bill because we feel it would be most unjust and disastrous to us We want vessels to stop at Astoria we do not want them towed up to Portland Here is the natural seaport, and vessels should not go beyond this point ASTORIA

Take the Northern Pacific Railroad the dining car route for all points East Office, No. 121 First street, corner Washington.

EAST SIDE CITY FATHERS.

Regular Meeting of the Common Council Held Last Night.

Various Petitions Considered, Reports Submitted and Adopted—Street Work Duly Accepted—The Money Drift—Etc

The city council held a regular session last night with Mayor Wheeler in the chair and a quorum of councilmen present Nothing of unusual interest came before the council except the eloquent remarks of William Foley attorney, who made an appeal to have certain lands belonging to St. Mary's academy exempt from taxation on the grounds that the general laws permit such exemption to be made in the interest of charity and benevolence The appropriate officers will investigate the matter and report at the next meeting

Instructions have been given the street commissioner to close up Asylum bridge as it is in a dangerous condition and liable to a collapse at any time It is in a rotten condition and it is impossible to repair the structure so it was deemed best to close up the same and thus prevent possible accident. Its closing will cause quite an inconvenience as there has been considerable travel, and it is hoped some arrangements may be made by which a new bridge may be built at an early day

DETAILED REPORT

PETITIONS.

From Thomas Hislop asking that grades be changed as follows Hawthorne avenue and Seventh, 124 00 to 124.50 Eighth 119 00 to 120 00 Ninth 111 50 to [illegible] Tenth 110 50 to [illegible] Eleventh 114 00 to [illegible] referred to the surveyor

From William Foley attorney for the Sisters of Charity of Providence of St Vincent's hospital, asking that certain property in this city belonging to the said incorporation be not taxed on account of the institution being one of charity After Mr Foley had addressed the council the matter was referred to the committee on ways and means, city recorder and attorney to report at the next meeting

From Thomas Parrott asking the council to refund $8 50 which he paid out in purchasing tax titles which had already been paid, referred to the city attorney

From M A Flinn asking the council to correct an error in the assessment of lots 7 and 8 in block 124, by which said property is assessed one third higher than that in the neighborhood referred to city attorney

From J C Mendenhall and others interested asking that the grades be established in Kenworthy's addition referred to surveyor with instructions to establish the grades

REPORTS.

From the committee on health and police, reporting that they had appointed A W Atterbury regular policeman from February 4 1889, at a salary of $70 per month adopted

From the street committee recommending the passage of the ordinance establishing grades on certain streets adopted

From the committee on streets and public property, stating that they had examined the bridge on Hawthorne avenue and found it in a dangerous condition, and they recommend that the street commissioner be instructed to tear up the planking and put up a proper barricade with a notice that the bridge is closed adopted.

From the ways and means committee reporting that the quarterly report of the city treasurer is a most complete showing of the fiscal affairs of the city adopted.

From the city surveyor stating that he and the street commissioner had examined the work done by Mr Kerns on Fifth street and found that it had been well done On motion of Merrick action was withheld in the matter until Mr Kerns filed with the city council affidavits from the property owners along said street that they would not hold the city for the expense of the improvement.

From the city attorney to whom was referred the petitions of Wm. Pyle and Ledingham asking for corrections of their assessments, stating that he had examined the petitions and recommended that they be not granted adopted.

STREET WORK

The city surveyor and street commissioner of the city of East Portland have each filed in the office of the city recorder of said city their acceptance of the following work, to-wit Work on Fourth street abutting blocks 60 and 41 contracted to be completed by T R Turnbull for grading sidewalk, crosswalk and gravel also their acceptance of work on Fourth street abutting blocks 85 86 and 98, contracted to be completed by T G Davison, for elevated roadway and elevated sidewalk And work on Fourth street abutting block 97 contracted to be completed by C M Wiberg for elevated roadway and elevated sidewalk, adopted and warrants ordered drawn in payment for the work.

BILLS ORDERED PAID

J J Kadderly	$ 2 75	Wm Dalton	$ 1 10
Prasalee Bros	24 75	J M Rey	11 00
Wash Calthrop	72 00	C [illegible]	12 50
E P Gas Co	6 70	John [illegible]	11 00
H A Hogle	198 2[illegible]	F Hauck	9 [illegible]
Evening Telegram	19 1[illegible]	[illegible]	8 00
W A Ransom	20 00	F Miller	14 00
C B Smith	225 00	Fred Kerr	8 00
E.Port Vindicator	9 50	C [illegible]	9 00
O H Bellinger	60 00	Wm Morgan	[illegible] 50
Fred Bailey	6 00	[illegible]	4 00
J M Scott	70 70	W [illegible]	6 00
E P Truck Ex Co	12 50		

ORDINANCES

Establishing grades on East and [illegible] Clay and Weidler streets passed

[illegible] a deficit of $12 6[illegible] on Sixteenth street read twice and referred to committee on streets and public property

Requiring the motors of street cars to be in front read twice and referred to committee on streets and public property

Adopting the report of the city surveyor on the proposed extension of Ellsworth street from Fifth to Seventh streets read twice and referred to committee on streets and public property

Adopting the report of the surveyor on the opening and extension of Seventh street from Ellsworth to Riverside Homestead read twice and same reference

Providing for the time and manner of improving Q street between Fourth and Fifth read twice and referred to the committee on streets and public property

Providing for cross walks on O street read twice and same reference

Establishing grades on certain streets in Holladay's addition read twice and referred to committee on streets and public property

MISCELLANEOUS

On motion of Rankin the recorder was instructed to give notice for the improvement of L street from Fifth to Eleventh street, by putting in cross walks.

On motion of Terry, C B McLaughlan was appointed a special policeman to act at the car shops.

On motion of Crozier J W Howe was appointed a special policeman for the north end of the city

Halfpenny called attention to the fact that the closing of asylum bridge will cause a great inconvenience and some action should be taken to have it opened. It was understood that Mr Brown who represents the Hawthorne Avenue Railway Company, had stated the company would bear part of the expense No action

Merrick called attention to an accumulation of waste water at Thirteenth and I streets and that several electric lights have not been burning The street commissioner was instructed to look after the waste water

Mr Myers the chief engineer by request made a statement in regard to Pioneer engine house stating that the doors are about to fall down and the floors are in a very bad condition He recommended that there be a new floor laid and that there be new doors put in He thought that it would cost about $175 referred to the committee on fire and water and chief engineer to report at the next meeting

Adjourned.

OTHER NEWS ITEMS.

Asylum bridge will be closed up to-day

The executions that have been issued on unpaid street assessments have already had the effect to cause a large number to pay up

It is stated that Howard the man who accused Hart of robbing him has taken his departure and will be seen no more hereabouts.

The second quarterly conference of the Centenary M E church met last night, and adjourned till Wednesday evening at [illegible] o clock

Protracted meetings are in progress and will be continued in the Baptist church during the week Quite an interest has been awakened

Yesterday evening the paint works, which are situated on Twelfth street across the street from the [illegible] asylum grounds caught fire and with the greatest difficulty the building was saved from being burned up

While going to school yesterday the little girl of Mr A W Llewellyn had her left eye seriously injured by a small fly entering it. The teacher succeeded in removing the insect, but the eye became very much inflamed and painful last night, however the little one was relieved somewhat and it is thought nothing serious will result.

THE PRESIDENTIAL CENTENNIAL

Preparations in New Jersey for Celebrating the Centennial of Washington's Inauguration

In New Jersey the programme for the celebration of the one hundredth anniversary of Washington's inauguration is well settled and arrangements are under way for carrying it out We quote from a New York paper

The ceremonies in Trenton will form an important part in the celebration Washington passed through Trenton beneath a floral arch erected by the ladies at the Assunpink and over the same historic route and under the relics of that same triumphal arch President Harrison will pass en route from Washington to New York on April 27 The programme for the ceremony has just been adopted by the New Jersey Historical Society Governor Green gave his approval and the programme is, in brief, as follows

The president and his party are to be met on their arrival in New Jersey, as near as possible to the point where President elect Washington entered the state in 1789 by the governor of New Jersey the legislature and state officers The party will proceed in carriages, escorted by a military and civic procession as nearly as may be convenient over the route traveled by Washington in 1789

The triumphal arch erected over the Assunpink in 1789, or as much of it as is still in existence, will again be erected

The president and his party will proceed from Trenton to Princeton by private conveyance, with suitable relays of horses to expedite the journey and, and at Princeton he will have a reception, given by President Patton of the university The presidential car will meet the president at Princeton and proceed to Princeton junction, there to rejoin the rest of the special, and will proceed to Elizabeth From Elizabeth the president and his party, delegations from representative bodies, will proceed in carriages to Elizabethport, escorted by a military and civic procession At Elizabethport the party will embark on a vessel provided by the government for the purpose, and land at the battery in New York

JUDICIAL MATTERS QUIET.

Work Reported by the Grand Jury—Various Probate Notes

Two Prisoners Discharged—New Citizens—Not Guilty—Case Settled—Larceny by Bailee—Paid the Costs

DEAD MEN'S PROPERTY

Charles Pell Henry Montcalle and Luther Gul were yesterday appointed appraisers of the estate of M P Stafford.

W J Humphrey, administrating upon the estate of H M Humphrey makes a showing that one Henry Isensee claims to have documentary claim to a portion of the estate which he refuses to show An order was accordingly issued requiring Isensee to appear to answer on the 26th inst to answer or else be adjudged guilty of contempt of court.

The appraisers of the estate of D M Hensill filed their report yesterday The inventory reaches $4011 $4000 of which represents lot 6, block 13 Portland with its improvements.

CASES OF LARCENY BY BAILEE

Papers were filed in Justice Phelan's court yesterday afternoon against C J Hathaway for larceny by bailee J J Stallings, the informer claims that the defendant has in his possession one aqua marine pin which belongs to him He demanded the pin of Hathaway the 18th of February but did not succeed in getting it. The defendant refused to give it up according to the agreement [illegible] the trust

W Jackson and Charles Hand who were arraigned in Justice Phelan's court on the same charge a few days since were released yesterday at 3 P M It will be remembered Gus Sternberg preferred the charge against them, on account of their refusing to deliver up to him a tool chest valued at $100. The court held that the tools were exempt property, and dismissed the case, taxing the cost to defendants

THE GRAND JURY

This body reported yesterday as follows

Two indictments against Julius Jacobs, one for larceny in the International hotel where on the 10th inst. he stole a batch of clothing belonging to J R. Hopkins and the second for larceny in another dwelling house where he abstracted several blankets.

One indictment against Edward Jones accused of stealing a lot of harness belonging to O S. Pomeroy

In the matter of Ah John accused of stealing a gold watch from J P Watson, the charge was ignored

The grand jury then adjourned till Monday next.

PRISONERS DISCHARGED

J R. Springer and William Geer, who were arrested last fall charged with an attempt to blow up a bridge on the line of the O R. & N in Eastern Oregon, were discharged from custody yesterday morning. These men were supposed to have aided Ed Black and Joe Merrick, the real instigators of the diabolical scheme to wreck a passenger train in order that they might secure the express box They had placed a dynamite bomb on the track but fortunately it did not do its work Black and Merrick are now lying in the Multnomah county jail awaiting an investigation on a charge of obstructing the mail

HE MUST VACATE

In Justice Tuttle's court yesterday afternoon the case of Peter Taylor vs. N Goldstein, for the possession of the dwelling house No 62 North Fourth street was decided in favor of the plaintiff The defendant showed by a physician's certificate that his wife was sick and unable to leave her room, and the court granted him permission to remain with his family until the condition of his wife would warrant her removal.

LOW CHIN FOUND NOT GUILTY

The assault and battery case of Tom Louis against Low Chin, tried in Justice Tuttle's court several days ago, was yesterday decided in favor of the defendant There was hardly sufficient reliable testimony produced by the prosecution to prove the defendant guilty of the crime with which he was charged and the court exonerated the bond he had been placed under

POLICE COURT

Judge Tanner disposed of the following cases in the police court yesterday afternoon Louis Johnson and Thomas Hall [illegible] simple drunks fined $4 each W D Cisco and Gus Borders drunk fined $[illegible] each A J [illegible] Thomas William Mrs E [illegible] and Charles McLaughlin, same $10 each

THE BUCHTEL DUDLEY CASE

This celebrated case was re tried yesterday before Judge Shattuck The forenoon and afternoon sessions were occupied in hearing the testimony and in the evening a portion of the arguments were made The case will be resumed at 9 30 this morning

[illegible] VS [illegible]

The case of A Ferrera against L V Fagnante for the recovery of $4 41 [illegible] a bill for goods delivered was settled in Justice Tuttle's court yesterday morning by the defendant paying the amount sued for and the costs of the action

CANDIDATE FOR CITIZENSHIP

John Peterson yesterday declared his sworn intentions of abjuring his allegiance to the king of Sweden and Norway for that to the United States.

UNITED IN COURT

C A Granier and Julia Sanders were joined in matrimony in Justice Tuttle's court at 8 o clock last night.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Were issued yesterday to Louis H French and Kate M Tates, C A Granier and Julia Sanders.

YESTERDAY'S BLOTTER

STATE CIRCUIT COURT NO 1

Ab Louie vs A J Luce judgment of non suit against plaintiff

Kamm [illegible] Frinz & Co vs George Cohen & Bro judgment by default for plaintiff

Buchtel vs Dudley on trial

STATE CIRCUIT COURT NO 2.

T M Richardson administrator vs J Carroll McCaffrey case dismissed as to the lien of John Brigham

R Mapel vs Marcena Mapel default granted, set for trial February 25

William Moss vs Thomas Moss et al motion to strike out parts of the amended complaint taken under advisement until to-day

PROTECTION AGAINST FRAUD

WALDPORT Benton Co Or Feb 13

TO THE EDITOR OF THE OREGONIAN

Apropos of Apperson's bill to prevent the adulteration of food would it not be well for the legislature to pass a bill prohibiting the gilding and ornamental painting of vehicles, the use of putty and "dutchmen" by carpenters and joiners the use of paints powders cosmetics perfumery, pads and bustles by the great unknown?

All these things are pernicious and very deceiving, and should be prohibited from use They surely should

And then why not extend the list to include all popular deceptions, things that please the eye and yet deceive it—artificial teeth Langtry curls and bangs staining and graining of cheap furniture—all these and more? J D S

Stock Losses in the Upper Columbia Region.

Big Bend Empire

Careful inquiry as to the condition of range stock results in a very gloomy report of the way in which stock especially cattle, is wintering Mr A A Pierpoint a representative stock man well informed on the situation and thoroughly reliable assures us that from present appearances the loss this winter will be 70 per cent of cattle and 25 per cent of horses On the Columbia river the loss will be nearly as great In the vicinity of Moses lake the loss will be somewhat less This damaging report is not due to a hard winter or to any disease among stock It is because farmers are crowding out the stock men by fencing the agricultural lands and watering places While the ranges have been greatly diminished by the home stead settler the herds have rapidly increased both by natural increase and immigration with a result not surprising disastrous The days of large herds in the Big Bend are a thing of the past

The Independence *West Side* says that some days ago the 12 year old son of John Hawk of Oak Grove met with a serious accident which came near resulting fatally, He was out hunting and in attempting to reload his gun the cartridge would not fit the gun and the boy in trying to press it in caused it to explode and the shell or ball struck him in the upper lip and ranged upward coming out at the eye chipping off a portion of the superior maxillary and making an ugly wound

The Rosenfeldt syndicate has purchased the Vancouver company's coal property on Vancouver island for the sum of $5,000 000, one fifth of the sum to be paid each year for five years It is understood that the syndicate will work the mines to their utmost capacity

Complexion Powder is an absolute necessity of the refined toilet in this climate. Pozzoni's combines every element of beauty and purity

Union Ticket office removed to 121 First street, corner Washington

PASCO AND TACOMA.

A Southern Central Town That Wants To Be the Capital.

Talk With an Old Steamboat Captain—Improvements Along the Water Front of Tacoma—Villard's Purchase—Personal Points.

TACOMA, Feb 18.

It is a pleasant entertainment to listen to a steamboat captain who has navigated the rivers of the territory, the Sound and the water of Alaska for many years I came across Captain W P Gray of Pasco in the lobby of the Tacoma a few nights ago Gripsack in hand he had just come in from the town which he and a great many others believe will be the capital of the state of Washington one of these days, because of its central location, its low altitude, good climate and the fact that land is not so high in price there that it takes a healthy bank account to reach it It is true that the sage brush flourishes on its level plains but the territorial artesian well already 450 feet deep is getting down toward good water for the future citizens of a big town The Snake and the Columbia rivers join each other at Pasco the Northern Pacific and O R & N rails meet there, big bridges are across the two rivers Portland and the Sound cities are about 250 miles away toward the Pacific Spokane Falls to the northeastward about 150 miles and roads diverge to Walla Walla and Pendleton via Eureka flat tapping the splendid grain country of Eastern Oregon and the territory Why it's the natural place for the capital of the new state," said Captain Gray enthusiastically "because it is the great railroad junction city of the future state It is going to be another Indianapolis in this respect Look at its position on the map and you will see it is in the southern center of the territory There are about 700 people there now The town was laid off and platted in 1885 but a new plat is to be filed by the Northern Pacific railroad company Pasco is only 327 feet above the level of the sea It is lower in altitude than any other section in the territory except the Sound country and it is so beautifully situated that far across its level plains you can see the Blue mountains and the tops of some of the noted peaks of the Cascade range Land was originally bought there for $6 an acre and lots can be bought cheap yet. I believe in fostering all enterprises that come to Pasco," continued Captain Gray "The other day a man came there to start a planing mill I sold him four lots, for what think you? Why $1 He was astonished, but I told him his manufactory would bring wealth to the place and enhance the value of property We have a good ship yard there and three boats were built there this summer With irrigation great crops of grain and fruit can be raised just the same as in the valley of Southern California The character of the land is the same as around Yakima"

"I took a trip to Seattle a day or two ago for the first time in twelve years" continued Captain Gray, "and you may well imagine my surprise to see such a city as that It is quite a different looking town from the village that I sailed out of with the old steamboat Beaver for Alaskan waters a dozen years ago. I took the boat to the Stickeen river, which runs northeast from old Fort Wrangle, and navigated that dangerous stream all season for a private company Seattle is the liveliest looking place I have seen for some years" Captain Gray had his gripsack filled with copies of some very fine instantaneous photographs of the Upper Columbia river and the Lake Chelan country, taken by Morris McMicken on a recent trip up there. He does not believe it is practicable to get through the Cascades with another transcontinental line to the northward or that it is feasible to build a line from Ellensburg to the Columbia river, in consequence of the heavy grade which the Northern Pacific engineers report 210 feet to the mile He thinks the railroad of the future will cross Lincoln and Douglas counties from Davenport strike the Okanogan river follow it north to Osoyoos lake and then go westward partly in British Columbia to Whatcom thus avoiding heavy grades and tunneling

Seattle will have to stir around to get ahead of Tacoma in water front improvements I took a walk yesterday along the new wharves now being made from Fourteenth street southward to the head of the bay and the work now going on there is enough to astonish the most skeptical relative to the commercial future of this city A very large new dredger is at work digging out the channel making it four feet deep at low water and twelve feet in depth at high tide Pile drivers are at work and the thud of the trip hammer one after the other sounds like business On top of the piling wharves foundries factories and warehouses are going up and new railroad switches along side the main track of the Northern Pacific road are being laid One of the wharves is 400 feet long At the end of each wharf are slips for the accommodation of light draft steamers Over a hundred and fifty men are at work in thus converting a sandy beach of three months ago into a half mile of wharfage with a broad avenue called Dock street between the bay and the bluffs Another dredge will arrive next week (they cost $15 000 each) These improvements are made on tide flat land leased for twenty years by the Tacoma Land Company to the commercial men who are engaged in making the extensive improvements extending from Fourteenth street to the head of the bay at Twenty fifth street. From Fourteenth street to deep water which is at First street South—fourteen blocks northwardly—the water front is owned by the Northern Pacific Railroad Company

The dredging of the Puyallup channel from deep water to the head of the bay, about two miles must be accomplished before large ships can pass up to that part of the city All this is to be done and the Northern Pacific company with its Terminal Company and various other outgrowths will spend about $2 000 000 here during the season I have seen plans of these extensive improvements The work is going ahead as fast as men, machinery and money can push it.

"Will the Northern Pacific Railroad Company give a business man a chance to get at the water front?" I was asked by a gentleman from the East I am told that the company is willing to lease for any number of years if it is assured by an iron clad agreement, that the lease is for business purposes at once and not speculative All these improvements are in advance of what Seattle is doing with her water front and just as far ahead of the Queen City in that respect as Seattle is ahead of Tacoma in decent streets and rapid transit The thoroughfares and crossings of Tacoma are disgracefully muddy and the bobtail and motor line system is an annoying attempt to appear metropolitan Between the spavined mule and the broken down motor the cars manage to get over the routes about once every half hour The people will gladly welcome a cable line so that they can get up the hills to their homes in a reasonable time

Villard's purchase of 286 acres stiffened up the boom and the real estate men this morning looked smiling and happy as the past week had not been as lively with some as they had anticipated and Agent Paul Schulze who engineered the sale says it was not made to help along the boom but the boomers will use it for that purpose just the same Mr Schulze also hopes this purchase will set at rest the stories circulated here by envious people that Henry Villard ever was an enemy of Tacoma. Mr Schulze was evidently a close reader of the Tacoma papers three or four years ago and is a man of most excellent memory He has a finger in Mr Villard's pie which cost nearly $250 000 The Northern Pacific Railway Company and the Tacoma Land Company are good to their friends Nearly every official from the president down to clerk has more or less land in and around Tacoma thus making a sort of co-operative concern A number of prominent officials of the railroad company in the East including Mr Villard are named in connection with the establishment of a daily newspaper here that is to eclipse anything on the coast It will take a good deal of money to do that

The city council here has called a halt on paving Pacific avenue until the rotten wooden box called a sewer running through its middle has been examined The work of sewering the city in other directions is progressing very favorably Glazed pipe only is being used. Chief Engineer Sears, of Portland, is the author of the system adopted here. George C. Waring, of Rhode Island, acknowledged to be one of the ablest sanitary engineers in the country, was employed by the Seattle city government to devise a system there, which has been adopted. There would be less sickness in both places if more attention had been paid to the sanitary conditions in the past.

J W Barnes, of Portland, an old railroad man, one of the "big four" of the O. R. & N. Co some years ago, bought to-day 192 lots in Reed's addition of this city for $30,000. He also paid for and participated in a champagne dinner with some friends to fulfill a promise he made six months ago, when the presidential campaign was pending Mr. Barnes bet on Harrison, but a weak-kneed democratic friend of his was bewailing the fact that Cleveland would be snowed under when the 6th of November arrived. "If he is," said Barnes, "I will pay for a champagne dinner!" The promise was made in Benicia, Cal, and to-day they met for the first time since then at The Tacoma, had a good dinner, and drank more wine at one sitting than the late President Hayes ever did, when it was of the O P (other people's) brand

Col. W J Parkenson of New York, who has been taking in the Sound country, has just returned to the Tacoma and leaves for Washington D C, in the morning He showed me a letter he had just received from his old brigade commander Gen Butterfield of New York city, in which he says "I am glad to know that you think of locating in grand Washington territory You are wise in doing so Do not fail to pick me out a good corner lot in Tacoma" Gen Butterfield recently gave a complimentary dinner in New York to Gen. O O Howard upon his taking command of the department of the Atlantic C. M. B.

FRANKLY STATED

SALEM Feb 18, 1889.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE OREGONIAN

The reason why we of Marion county want the water bonds of Portland taxed is a simple one and to us very conclusive

There are forty or fifty foreign insurance companies now doing business in Oregon. Each of those companies is by law required to deposit bonds to the amount of $50,000 with the state treasurer at Salem We know that they would like to use these Portland bonds for that purpose. Already some of the water bonds of Portland are on deposit with the state treasurer but as they are nontaxable we can't get at them We object to the issue of any more bonds of this kind, consequently we oppose the Portland water bill in the form in which it is presented.

Here is our view of it The Portland water bonds will all or nearly all be deposited in this county If they are taxable they will yield us a tax for all purposes of about 3 per cent. per annum—say $40,000 to $50,000 a year In the course of thirty years this will amount to nearly or quite as much as the principal of the bonds or $1,500,000 If the bonds are taxable, we can make Portland pay this money here, we can make her pay a large proportion of the taxes of this county, and we can cut down the valuation of our own property and escape taxpaying to that extent. It is therefore an important matter to us We know what we are about, and as we know the people of Portland must have water we propose to take advantage of their necessities. W.

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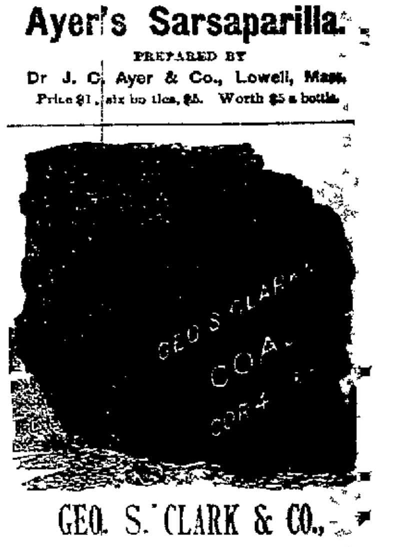

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G I ENNELL, United States Marshal, Detroit, Michigan

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COMMERCIAL

High Water				Low W	
A M		P M		A M	
Time	Hight	Time	Hight	Time	Hight
2 29	7 6 ft	2 40	8 2 ft	9 08	[illegible]

MONDAY

Merchandise received or soon to arri
25 cs dry goods, 10 cs domestics, [illegible]
cs hats and caps, [illegible]
agricultural implements, [illegible]
tinware, 1 lot asbestos, [illegible]
terial, 10 pkgs machinery.

PRODUCE RECEIPTS—Past forty-eig
1966 ctls wheat, 282 bbls flour, 701 ctls o
millstuffs, 7878 lbs hides, 19 pkgs but
eggs, 407 bxs green fruit, 21 pkgs dried fr
cattle.

WHEAT—The market is quiet and has
no startling phase during the past
hours. Chicago and New York show
slight signs of weakness, and closin
failed to indicate a better feeling. Quot
Oregon $1 27½@1 30; valley, $1 25@1 27

FREIGHTS—Dull, with absolutely no
ness to report. The Archer has finished
and is ready for sea.

EGGS—The market is firm and easy.

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET.

NEW YORK, Feb. 18.—The stock ma
day was fairly active, but while feverish,
and unsettled in the forenoon, it was
strong, especially for specialties, in the a
and the final declines are few in numbe
cessions from Saturday's figures at the
extended to ½ per cent. and the market
erish and irregular, with a generally w
for the first few minutes, when the genera
veloped the same strong tone which has
marked a feature for some days past. Th
finally closed active and strong at about
prices of the day.

Government bonds have been dull, but

MONEY, BONDS AND STOCKS.

NEW YORK, Feb 18.—Money on call,
1½@2. Prime mercantile paper, 4@6.
exchange, dull, steady, sixty days, $4 8
mand, $4 88½.

BONDS.

U S 4s (reg.)	128¼	U S 4½s (coupo
U S 4s (coupon)	126¼	Pacific 6s
U S 4½s (reg)	107⅞	

STOCKS.

American Ex	113	Northwestern
Canadian Pacific	52¼	New York Cent
Canada Southern	56⅛	Oregon Imp
Central Pacific	35	O R & N
Burlington	103¾	Transcontinent
Del. & Lackawanna	142¼	Pacific Mail
D'nver & Rio Gr'nde	16⅝	Reading
Erie	30⅝	Rock Island
Kansas & Texas	13⅝	St. Paul
Lake Shore	104⅝	Texas Pacific
L'sville & Nashville	60⅝	Union Pacific
Mich gan Central	90	U S Express
Missouri Pacific	73¼	Wells-Fargo
Northern Pacific	27	Western Union
N P Preferred	62¼	

MONEY MARKET.

LONDON, Feb. 18.—Consols, 98 13-16. B
lion per fine ounce, 42⅝. Bank of Eng
of discount, 3 per cent.

NEW YORK, Feb. 18.—Sterling exchan
$4 87 sterling exchange, short, $4 89
bonds, 4s, 128⅛ U. S. bonds, 4½s, 107⅞; s
lion per fine ounce, 93⅛c.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 18.—Sterling
sixty days, $4 85¼. sterling exchange, d
ary, $4 88½. Transfers, 25 per cent. prem

SAN FRANCISCO MINING STOCKS REP

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Ophir	$5 25	Bullion
Mexican	3 20	Exchequer
Gould & Curry	2 75	Seg. Belcher
Best & Belcher	4 25	Justice
Con. California	7 87	Union
Savage	3 15	Challenge
Chollar	2 65	N. Belle Isle
Potosi	2 30	Nevada Queen
Hale & Norcross	3 95	Bodie
Crown Point	4 85	Peer
Yellow Jacket	3 65	Peerless
Belcher	3 25	Overman
Confidence	14 00	Alpha
Sierra Nevada	3 70	Imperial
Utah	1 30	

SAN FRANCISCO MARKETS.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 18.—Produce rece
48 hours include 61,000 ctls wheat, 510
flour 200 sks potatoes, 13,000 ctls barley

Freight—Dull and inactive with no n
ness reported. Engaged tonnage in port
only amounting to 25,500 tons, disengag
up 31,600 tons, and tonnage listed to arriv
tons.

Wheat—The volume of business passin
sample market is of light proportion, but
are firm in their ideas, and demand $1 42
for No 1 shipping. Trading on the Pro
change is not very brisk and options sho
clining tendency. Sales, buyer year, incl
tons at $1 49¾, 1000 tons $1 49¾, 400 tons a
200 tons at $1 49½, 600 tons at $1 49 buyer
$1 46 seller year, new, $1 40. Afternoon
Buyer year opened at $1 49¾, closed at
buyer season, $1 46¼ seller year, new, $1

Barley—Stocks on hand are large and
heavy The demand is slow and the
exhibits a tendency to more ease. Choic
quoted at 82½@85c. Options are quie
year, 94½c, buyer season, 86¾c. Aftern
sion Buyer year, 94¼c, buyer season, 86

Oats—The improved demand previousl
has not been maintained, and liberal sto
caused the market to assume an easier ton
of all kinds is quotable at from $1 to $1 12

Potatoes—The situation is one of decide
ness. Stocks on the market are extremel
and continued liberal consignments, mo
the north, are causing them to increase
There is a small demand, but only fo
grades, poorer qualities are quite neglect
inal quotations for Burbank seedlings ar
Garnet Chile 40@50c, Peerless 30@40c.

Millstuffs—There is a fair movement a
rule steady. Quote bran at $13 50@14, m
dlings $14@14 50 per ton.

CHICAGO MARKETS.

CHICAGO, Feb. 18.—Receipts of whea
seven primary points during past fo
hours were 182,000 bushels, and shipme
these points, for the same time were 110,
els.

The visible wheat supply is 33,485,000 b
decrease of 755,000 bushels since last week
opened dull and easier; sold steadily do
closed weaken Prices were, opening, $1
95⅛c July, Noon $1 [illegible] March, $1 [illegible]
July, Closing, $1 [illegible] February, $1 [illegible]
$1 00⅝ June, 94⅝c July.

Provisions—Pork, $11 March; lard,
March; ribs, $5 77½ March.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK MARKET.

CHICAGO, Feb 18.—Cattle—Receipts 8000
choice to extra beeves, $4 50@4 70; steers,
stockers and feeders, $2 15@3 40; Texa
$2@3 15.

Hogs—Receipts, 17,000; strong and
higher; mixed, $4 40@4 60; heavy, $4
light, $4 45@4 65.

Sheep—Receipts 3000; steady, natives, $3
Western corned, $4 45@4 77½.

A *Drover's Journal* special cablegram fr
don quoted excessive receipts of America
demand weak. Prices suffered a sharp
during the week, tops, 12c per pound d
dead weight.

NEW YORK MARKETS.

NEW YORK, Feb. 18.—Grain freights b
to Liverpool rule steady at 4d per bushel.

Wheat—Opened easier at $1 01¼ May, 97
Noon, 98c February, $1 01½ May, $1 01
98c July Closed weaker 98¼c Marc
April, $1 00⅝ May, $1 01⅛ June, 97¼c Jul

MISCELLANEOUS

NEW YORK, Feb. 18.—Hops—Strong; qui
Coffee—Options opened firm and unche
20 points up and closed steady and unche
10 points above Saturday Sales, 59,250 ba
ruary $15 90@15 95 March, $15@16 05
$15 90@15 95, May, $15 85@16, spot Rio, qu
cargoes, 17½c.

Sugar—Raw, firm, quiet; refined, stead
Copper—Nominal.
Lead—Quiet, easier; domestic, $3 60½.
Tin—Dull; heavy, Straits, $21 50.
Petroleum—Opened steady at 89½c, b
steady at 91½c.

Mining quotations closed Amador $1
Ionia B. H. $2 75, Con. California &
$7 50, Commonwealth $4 75, Deadwood $
reka 12, Homestake $12 50, Iron Silve
Mexican $3, Navajo $1 40, Ontario $32 25,
Plymouth $8 75, Silver King $1 10, Sava
Sierra Nevada $3, Standard $2, Silver
Small Hopes $1, Union Con $2 95.

WEEKLY MARKET REVIEW

NEW YORK, Feb. 18.—The hardening
of the money market for a week or two s
given place to increased ease and a retur
low rates of interest. During the curre
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this figure was obtained only to a smal
and, as time wore along, there was an
supply offering at 2 per cent.

Funds were disturbed by the govern
large purchases of bonds on Friday of l
and the net gain in the interior currenc
ment brought about a change in the situa

In regard to the interior movement of
it may be stated, however, that the acti
tion in wheat at Chicago, and free shipm
corn and provisions from points in th
that center naturally led to a larger de
funds there, and the Chicago Exchange
York fell.

Next month the government pension
take place, and this quarter they amoun
500,000.

The discount market has been easy,
mercial paper has been taken at 4 to 6
for the various grades.

Generally, the markets are in good sh
quite a reduction of activity in items
been heretofore moving slowly

Hops have obtained their promised acti
holders assert that they have the guidi
trade. States have advanced to 23@23c
domestic, 15c, Pacific [illegible]

Salmon is dull, but is expected to mo
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FOREIGN MARKETS.

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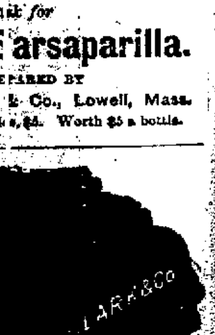

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TUESDAY, Feb. 19.

High Water.				Low Water.			
A. M.		P. M.		A. M.		P. M.	
Time	Hight	Time	Hight	Time	Hight	Time	Hight
2:29	7.6 ft	2:40	8.2 ft	8:08	3.2 ft	8:29	—0.1 ft

MONDAY, Feb. 18.

Merchandise received or soon to arrive by rail: [illegible] cs dry goods, 18 cs domestics, 23 cs clothing, 50 cs hats and caps, 4 lots roofing material, 9 pkgs agricultural implements, 30 pkgs hardware, 9 bxs [illegible], 1 lot asbestos, 15 pkgs plumbers' material, 10 pkgs machinery.

PRODUCE RECEIPTS—Past forty-eight hours: [illegible] ctls wheat, 232 bbls flour, 701 ctls oats, 200 ctls millstuffs, 7878 lbs hides, 19 pkgs butter, 60 bxs eggs, 407 bxs green fruit, 21 pkgs dried fruit, 154 hd cattle.

WHEAT—The market is quiet and has developed no startling phase during the past forty-eight hours. Chicago and New York showed some slight signs of weakness, and closing figures failed to indicate a better feeling. Quote Eastern Oregon $1 27½@1 30; valley, $1 35@1 37½.

FREIGHTS—Dull, with absolutely no new business to report. The Archer has finished at Astoria, and is ready for sea.

EGGS—The market is firm and easy. Quote 17c.

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET.

NEW YORK, Feb. 18.—The stock market to-day was fairly active, but while feverish, irregular and unsettled in the forenoon, it was decidedly strong, especially for specialties, in the afternoon, and the final declines are few in number. Concessions from Saturday's figures at the opening extended to ½ per cent, and the market was feverish and irregular, with a generally weak tone for the first few minutes, when the general list developed the same strong tone which has been so marked a feature for some days past. The market finally closed active and strong at about the best prices of the day.

Governments bonds have been dull, but firm.

MONEY, BONDS AND STOCKS.

NEW YORK, Feb. 18.—Money on call, easy at 1½@2. Prime mercantile paper, 4@6. Sterling exchange, dull, steady; sixty days, $4 86¼; demand, $4 88¾.

BONDS.

U. S. 4s (reg.)	128¼	U. S. 4½s (coupon)	109
U. S. 4s (coupon)	128¾	Pacific 6s	120
U. S. 4½s (reg.)	107⅞		

STOCKS.

American Ex.	113	Northwestern	107¾
Canadian Pacific	52¼	New York Central	109
Canada Southern	56½	Oregon Imp	64¾
Central Pacific	35	O. R. & N.	95¾
Burlington	103¾	Transcontinental	33¼
Del. & Lackawanna	142½	Pacific Mail	38⅞
D'nver & Rio Gr'nde	16⅝	Reading	49
Erie	28⅝	Rock Island	97⅝
Kansas & Texas	13⅞	St. Paul	63⅝
Lake Shore	104⅝	Texas Pacific	21¾
L'sville & Nashville	60⅝	Union Pacific	66
Michigan Central	90	U. S. Express	72
Missouri Pacific	73¼	Wells-Fargo	141
Northern Pacific	27	Western Union	86⅝
N. P. Preferred	62¼		

MONEY MARKET.

LONDON, Feb. 18.—Consols, 98 13-16. Silver bullion per fine ounce, 42⅝. Bank of England rate of discount, 3 per cent.

NEW YORK, Feb. 18.—Sterling exchange, long, $4 87; sterling exchange, short, $4 89½. U. S. bonds, 4s, 128⅝; U. S. bonds, 4½s, 107⅞; silver bullion per fine ounce, 93¼c.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 18.—Sterling exchange, sixty days, $4 86¼; sterling exchange, documentary, $4 85¾. Transfers, 25 per cent. premium.

SAN FRANCISCO MINING STOCKS REPORT.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 18.

Ophir	$5 25	Bullion	1 00
Mexican	3 20	Exchequer	.90
Gould & Curry	2 75	Seg. Belcher	3 05
Best & Belcher	4 75	Justice	1 50
Con. California	7 87	Union	3 00
Savage	3 15	Challenge	4 00
Chollar	2 65	N. Belle Isle	2 55
Potosi	2 30	Nevada Queen	2 80
Hale & Norcross	3 95	Bodie	1 55
Crown Point	4 85	Peer	25
Yellow Jacket	3 45	Peerless	75
Belcher	3 25	Overman	1 40
Confidence	14 00	Alpha	1 85
Sierra Nevada	3 10	Imperial	70
Utah	1 30		

SAN FRANCISCO MARKETS.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 18.—Produce receipts past 48 hours include 61,000 ctls wheat, 5100 qr sks flour, 200 sks potatoes, 18,000 ctls barley.

Freight—Dull and inactive with no new business reported. Engaged tonnage in port is light, only amounting to 25,500 tons; disengaged foots up 31,000 tons, and tonnage listed to arrive, 266,000 tons.

Wheat—The volume of business passing in the sample market is of light proportion, but holders are firm in their ideas, and demand $1 42½@1 43¾ for No. 1 shipping. Trading on the Produce Exchange is not very brisk, and options show a declining tendency. Sales, buyer year, included 300 tons at $1 49¾, 1000 tons $1 49¼, 400 tons at $1 49¾, 200 tons at $1 49¼, 500 tons at $1 49; buyer season, $1 46; seller year, new, $1 40. Afternoon session: Buyer year opened at $1 48¾, closed at $1 49⅝; buyer season, $1 46⅝; seller year, new, $1 39⅝.

Barley—Stocks on hand are large and receipts heavy. The demand is slow and the market exhibits a tendency to more ease. Choice feed is quoted at 82½@85c. Options are quiet; buyer year, 94⅝c; buyer season, 86⅝c. Afternoon session: Buyer year, 94¼c; buyer season, 86⅞c.

Oats—The improved demand previously noticed has not been maintained, and liberal stocks have caused the market to assume an easier tone. Feed of all kinds is quotable at from $1 to $1 12½.

Potatoes—The situation is one of decided weakness. Stocks on the market are extremely heavy, and continued liberal consignments, mostly from the north, are causing them to increase rapidly. There is a small demand, but only for choice grades; poorer qualities are quite neglected. Nominal quotations for Burbank seedlings are 60@80c, Garnet Chile 40@45c, Peerless 30@40c.

Millstuffs—There is a fair movement and prices rule steady. Quote bran at $13 50@14, and middlings $14@14 50 per ton.

CHICAGO MARKETS.

CHICAGO, Feb. 18.—Receipts of wheat at the seven primary points during the past forty-eight hours were 182,000 bushels, and shipments from these points, for the same time were 110,000 bushels.

The visible wheat supply is 33,435,000 bushels, a decrease of 735,000 bushels since last week. Wheat opened dull and easier; sold steadily down, and closed weaker. Prices were, opening, $1 10¾ May, 95¾c July. Noon: $1 [illegible] March, $1 10¼ May, 95c July. Closing: $1 05⅝ February, $1 07¼ March, $1 09⅞ June, 94⅝c July.

Provisions—Pork, $11 March; lard, $6 52½ March; ribs, $5 77½ March.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK MARKET.

CHICAGO, Feb. 18.—Cattle—Receipts 8000; steady; choice to extra beeves, $4 50@4 70; steers, $3@4 25; stockers and feeders, $2 15@3 40; Texas cows, $[illegible].

Hogs—Receipts 17,000; strong and a shade higher; mixed, $4 40@4 60; heavy, $4 40@4 55; light, $4 45@4 65.

Sheep—Receipts 8000; steady; natives, $3 20@3 25; Western cornfed, $4 45@4 77½.

A *Drover's Journal* special cablegram from London quoted excessive receipts of American cattle; demand weak. Prices suffered a sharp decline during the week; tops, 12c per pound estimated dead weight.

NEW YORK MARKETS.

NEW YORK, Feb. 18.—Grain freights by steam to Liverpool rule steady at 4d per bushel.

Wheat—Opened easier at $1 01¼ May, 97⅛c July. Noon, 98c February, $1 01⅛ May, $1 01⅛ June, 98c July. Closed, weaker; 95¾c March, 99⅝c April, $1 00¾ May, $1 01⅛ June, 97¼c July.

MISCELLANEOUS.

NEW YORK, Feb. 18.—Hops—Strong; quiet.

Coffee—Options opened firm and unchanged to 20 points up and closed steady and unchanged to 10 points above Saturday. Sales, 59,250 bags; February $15 90@15 95; March, $16@16 05; April, $15 90@15 95; May, $15 95@16; spot Rio, quiet; fair cargoes, 17½c.

Sugar—Raw, firm, quiet; refined, steady, quiet.

Copper—Nominal.

Lead—Quiet; easier; domestic, $3 60½.

Tin—Dull; heavy; Straits, $21 50.

Petroleum—Opened steady at 89⅝c, but closed steady at 91¼c.

Mining quotations closed: Amador $1 50, Caledonia B. H. $2 75, Con. California & Virginia $7 50, Commonwealth $4 75, Deadwood $1 50, Eureka 12, Homestake $12 50, Iron Silver $3 30, Mexican $3, Navajo $1 40, Ontario $33 25, Ophir $5, Plymouth $8 75, Silver King $1 10, Savage $2 90, Sierra Nevada $3, Standard $3, Silver Cord $10, Small Hopes $1, Union Con $2 95.

WEEKLY MARKET REVIEW.

NEW YORK, Feb. 18.—The hardening tendency of the money market for a week or two since has given place to increased ease and a return to the low rates of interest. During the current week 2½ per cent. was the maximum for call loans, but this figure was obtained only to a small extent, and, as time wore along, there was an abundant supply offering at 2 per cent.

Funds were disbursed by the government for large purchases of bonds on Friday of last week and the net gain in the interior currency movement brought about a change in the situation.

In regard to the interior movement of Monday, it may be stated, however, that the active operation in wheat at Chicago, and free shipments of corn and provisions from points in the West to that center naturally led to a larger demand for funds there, and the Chicago Exchange on New York fell.

Next month the government pension payments take place, and this quarter they amount to $20,000,000.

The discount market has been easy, and commercial paper has been taken at 4 to 6 per cent. for the various grades.

Generally, the markets are in good shape, with quite a restoration of activity in items that have been heretofore moving slowly.

Hops have obtained their promised activity, and holders assert that they have the guiding of the trade. States have advanced to 22@23c for best; domestic, 15c; Pacific, 15@18c.

Salmon is dull, but is expected to move before the Lenten season.

FOREIGN MARKETS.

LONDON, Feb. 18.—Floating wheat cargoes are steady. [illegible] Shipments of wheat from Bombay, Calcutta [illegible]

[illegible] to the Continent and 10,000 qrs to the United Kingdom. 3:30 P. M.—English country markets closed steady.

LIVERPOOL, Feb. 18.—Spot wheat was a turn firmer at opening. 3 P. M.—In small demand at the close. Options, easier: No. 1 California per cental, 7s 9¾d February, 7s 9¾d March, 7s 8¾d April and May, 7s 8¼d June.

PARIS, Feb. 18.—French country markets opened firm. 3:30 P. M.—Spot wheat closed quiet; flour closed firm.

LIVERPOOL GRAIN MARKET.

LIVERPOOL, Feb. 18.—Wheat quiet; holders offer moderately.

Corn—Steady; demand fair.

MARK LANE REVIEW.

LONDON, Feb. 18.—The *Mark Lane Express* says: British wheat since the beginning of the month has slightly improved, but it is still very low. Millers have difficulty in procuring really sound English wheat, of fair weight, under 34s.

American flour was held at a slight advance in values.

Foreign wheat is subject to two different tendencies. The growing continental demand for California wheat removes, to a great extent, the depression induced by the excess, over the average, on passage. If the continent takes the surplus it will strengthen the English markets, which are aided by the certainty of Australian abstention from wheat shipments.

In red wheat depressing influences prevail. Russia last week increased her shipments from 63,789 to 323,684 quarters, and India was proffering at low prices.

Barley was weaker, except the finer sorts, which were in request at 32@42s.

Oats, beans and peas are reasonably firm.

Corn is unsettled. New American averaged 21s; round, 23s.

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE.

Arrivals and Departures Since Feb. 10.

ARRIVED IN.

Feb. 13—Str Columbia, San Francisco.
Str Alliance, Gray's harbor.
17—Str Oregon, San Francisco.
Str Wilmington, San Francisco.
Br bk Ruthwell, Rio Janeiro, Nov. 1.
18—Str Idaho, Port Townsend.
Str Alki, Seattle.

PASSED OUT.

Feb. 11—Str Alliance, Gray's harbor.
12—Str Oregon, San Francisco.
13—Str Willamette, Seattle.
Str State of California, San Francisco.
15—Sch Zampa, San Francisco.
Bkt Tam O'Shanter, San Francisco.
17—Str Alliance, Grays Harbor.
Str Columbia, San Francisco.
Str Wilmington, Port Townsend.

IN PORT DISENGAGED.

Am bk C. S. Hulbert, 1026.

IN PORT ENGAGED.

Br bk Ruthwell, 1296, P. F. M. Co.
Am sh C. S. Bement, 1899, P. S. Co., Montgomery.
Br sh Brenhilda, 1321, C. Cæsar & Co., gas dock.
Br sh M. E. Watson, 1670, C. Cæsar & Co., Albina.
Ger bk Auguste, 1262, Allen & Lewis, Columbia.
Br bk Queen of Cambria, 890, P. F. M. Co., Stream.

Total tonnage, 9874.

AT ASTORIA READY FOR SEA.

Br sh Archer, 365, C. Cæsar & Co., finished.

ON THE WAY—DUE FEBRUARY.

Aug. 23—Br sh Dunscore, 1000, Liverpool.
Sept. 24—Br bk City of Carlisle, 823, Liverpool.
Sept. 27—Br sh British India, 1199, Grimsby.
Nov. 26—Ger bk Adele, 854, Newcastle, A.
Dec. 29—Br bk Shalimar, 985, Newcastle, A.
Br bk Martha Fisher, 811, Newcastle, A.
Br sh Otterspool, 1798, Newcastle, A.
Br sh Æolus, 1610, San Diego.
Br bk Assaye, 1231, Newcastle, A.
Br sh Hornby Castle, 1436, Iquique.
Br bk Famenoth, 983, Maryborough.

DUE LATER ON.

Oct. 10—Br bk City of Canton, 909, Glasgow.
Oct. 20—Br bk Gartmore, 1035, Liverpool.
Oct. 28—Br sh Fiery Cross, 1329, Maryport.
Nov. 5—Br bk Samoa, 1169, Liverpool.
Br sh Nagpore, 1209, London.
Feb. 4—Br sh Borrowdale, 1497, Liverpool.
Br sh City of Sparta, 1193, Newcastle, A.
Br bk British Army, 1289, Liverpool.
Ger bk Margaretta, 748, Newcastle, A.
Br sh Cambrian Queen, 1300, Australia.
Am ship Tillie E. Starbuck, 1931, New York.

Total tonnage, 26,096.

DOMESTIC PORTS.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 18.—Arrived—Str Del Norte, Coos Bay; Br sh Bay of Bengal, Sydney. Sailed—Schr Norma, Columbia river.

TACOMA, Feb. 18.—Sailed—Sh Two Brothers, San Francisco.

HOQUIAM, Feb. 18.—Sailed—Schrs Novelty and American Girl, San Francisco.

ASTORIA, Feb. 18.—Str Idaho arrived in at 8, left up at 8:30 A. M.; Ocklahama arrived down with Br bk Archer 9 A. M., left up with Br bk Ruthwell at 11 A. M.; str Alki arrived in at 11, left up at 11:45 A. M.

FORT CANBY, Feb. 18.—5 P. M.—Weather cloudy; wind west; bar smooth.

FOREIGN PORTS.

HONOLULU, Feb. 9.—Sailed—Br bk Dunscore, Portland.

QUEENSTOWN, Feb. 18.—Arrived—Wm. H. Starbuck, from Portland.

SYDNEY, Dec. 21.—Arrived—Br bk Florence Treat, Port Gamble; 23—Br bk Ellen, Tacoma; Jan. 1—Bk Newsboy, New Westminster; 5—Schr W. F. Witzeman, Tacoma; 6—Br bk Pacific Slope, Burrard Inlet; 10—Ship Jeremiah Thompson, Port Discovery; 15—Br bk Altcar, Moodyville.

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J E Fisher, do
J Freidman, do
O H Spaulding, Chehalis
John Kinkaide, Yaquina

F W Greenman, San Fran
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C L Hanna, do
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J Franyer, Coberg
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Wm Foster, do
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R Kalm, do
W Young, do
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F Newtonie, do
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F Cox, do
Wm Ragan, Balkum
C J Page, Tacoma
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H McDonald, Forest G
R Martin, Roseburg
J Whitney, do
H Westener, do
D Mercer, Riverdale
Mrs Dr O F Smith, Tac'm
Hauser [illegible], do
W M Cooley, do
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A L Walker, [illegible]
J Armand, do

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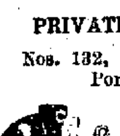

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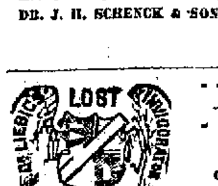

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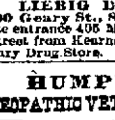

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5:30 P. M.	6:50 P. M.
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Willam. Val.	" 21, " 31	Santa Maria	Jan 19, 29

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THE STOCKHOLDERS WILLING.

The Cable Company Agrees to a Doubling of Its Capital Stock.

Balfour, Guthrie & Co. are the Prospective Bond Purchasers—Improper Advertising Makes a Written Agreement Necessary.

A special meeting of the stockholders of the Portland Cable Railway Company was held yesterday afternoon at the parlors of the Ainsworth National bank, President Smith in the chair.

The roll was called by the secretary, Mr. Ira E. Sturgis, and it was found that a majority of the stock, nearly 800 out of the 1500 shares, was represented.

President Smith called the attention of the meeting to the fact that a reporter for THE OREGONIAN was present and asked if it was the desire of the meeting that the proceedings be made public. Mr. A. W. Oliver moved that the proceedings be made public, which motion carried.

President Smith stated that the meeting had been called for the purpose of increasing the capital stock of the company and such other business as might lawfully come before the meeting. He said it was not necessary to go into the details of all the negotiations and disappointments of the company. It was sufficient to say that the directors were now in negotiation with Messrs. Balfour, Guthrie & Co. who had made a proposition to take the bulk of the bonds of the company, on certain conditions, all of which had been complied with, except one, viz.: that the capital stock shall be increased and subscribed to the amount of $150,000, making in all $300,000. Messrs. Balfour, Guthrie & Co. regarded the security offered by the company as good, and were of the opinion that the proposed road would pay, after a year or two, at all events, but as proper security for any arrears of interest they desired that the stock be increased. He presented a telegram stating that Mr. Foreman, one of the members of the San Francisco house of Balfour, Guthrie & Co., was to leave San Francisco last night for this city, to arrive here Wednesday morning to examine into the matter of taking the bonds of the company, provided that this meeting voted to increase the stock as desired.

Mr. Oliver offered a resolution increasing the capital stock to $300,000, and another limiting the time for the present stockholders to take their pro rata of the new stock to ten days, and moved their adoption.

Mr. McCaffery asked that the secretary present a statement of the assets and liabilities of the company.

The president said there was a motion before the meeting and the discussion must be confined to that.

Mr. Thompson said the stockholders were entitled to what had been asked for by Mr. McCaffery.

Mr. Oliver withdrew his motion.

Secretary Sturgis read the following statement of the affairs of the company:

CREDITS.

Paid up capital	$150,000
Rents	21
Amount of indebtedness	26,841
Total	$176,932

DEBITS.

Construction	$ 28,894 58
Real estate	92,477 60
Expense	14,771 90
Patent rights	21,046 68
P. H. Transfer Company	1,350 00
Stage line	897 54
Improvements on real estate	9,040 25
In hands of treasurer	262 22
Cash on hand	1 60
Interest	2,048 28
Bills receivable	950 00
Total	$176,932 40

Mr. Smith stated that this showed the state of the company's affairs as on the books, but not their real condition, as the real estate purchased by the company had increased in value. What they had paid a little over $90,000 for was now worth, at a conservative valuation, $156,000. So that the stock is actually worth its par value.

Mr. Ames called the attention of the meeting to the fact that the call for the meeting had only been published thirteen days instead of fourteen, as required by law.

President Smith after consulting with the attorneys of the company stated that Mr. Ames was right, and that the meeting must be readvertised and held at a later date.

He said that this, however, need not stand in the way of a part of the business which was important. In view of the fact that a representative of Balfour, Guthrie & Co. was on his way here that every possible step should be taken to give him the assurance that the stock would be increased.

After some discussion as to the best course to be pursued in the matter, Mr. Nichols drew up a document, reading as follows: "We, the undersigned, stockholders of the Portland Cable Railway Company, hereby agree that the capital stock be increased to $300,000."

This was signed by nearly every one present at the meeting, comprising a majority of the stock. The meeting then adjourned.

It is understood that some $70,000 of the increase of stock is already subscribed, and that there will be no difficulty in securing subscribers for the balance.

But for the unfortunate error in advertising the meeting, the capital stock would certainly have been increased yesterday, and the prospects of the company seem now brighter than ever.

MINING DEBRIS COMMISSION.

The Return of Major Handbury From California—Hydraulic Mining.

Major Thomas H. Handbury, United States Engineers, returned yesterday from a trip to California, to attend a meeting of the mining debris commission, of which he is a member. All the hydraulic mines in California have been enjoined and shut down, except the Cherokee mine, which is located about twelve miles north of Oroville, and as there is talk of closing this mine, the commission paid it a visit, in order that they might acquire some practical information in the matter of hydraulic mining and sluices and slickens, by seeing them in active operation.

The Cherokee mine is peculiarly situated, which accounts for its being able to run while all others are shut down. The water is carried through flumes and ditches for thirty miles and poured upon the tule lands between the Sacramento and Feather rivers. The company bought a long strip of land and built dikes on each side to retain the water from these rivers and carry it to the tule swamps, where they own a large tract which is rapidly being made into solid land by the debris deposited. An adjoining tract is being built up in the same manner, but the owner refuses to view this in the light of improvement, and charges the company $500 per month for dumping debris on his land.

Of course everybody understands that the shutting down of hydraulic mines is a great loss to miners and the running of them is a great damage to farmers, the rivers and San Francisco bay. The bottom of the Feather river has been raised fifteen feet by the deposit of debris and it was feared that in time San Francisco bay would be seriously injured if hydraulic mining continued. The object of the mining debris commission is to endeavor to devise some scheme by which the mines can be operated without injuring the farmers or the rivers.

OLIVER J. BOHL INSANE.

He Leaves His Desk Without Notice and Wanders About the Streets.

Three days ago Oliver J. Bohl left his work in the passenger auditor's department of The O. R. & N. Company, where he has been employed as a clerk, without any explanation as to his leaving or his future movements. Sunday he was taken upon the streets of East Portland, where he was wandering aimlessly around, and brought over to the county jail.

It was soon learned from him where he had been employed, and word of his whereabouts was sent to the auditor's office. Mr. E. C. Masten interested himself in the young man's case, and although Bohl had already been examined by a physician and thought a fit subject for the asylum, Mr. Masten had him taken to one of the hospitals of the city, where he will be well taken care of.

Young Bohl is a large man, rather spare built, of swarthy complexion, and a vacant, staring, large brown eye. He is not destructive in his tendencies, though about a year ago he made an unsuccessful effort to take his own life by cutting his throat. He is 22 years of age, and has been rooming at Third and B streets.

He is said to be well connected, his father being a resident of St. Louis. Young Bohl has also a wife and child there, miniatures of whom in a neat locket were found on his person when he was arrested in East Portland. He is given to the periodical immoderate use of liquor.

JACHETTA NOT YET ARRAIGNED.

The Slayer of Charley Olsen Visited by His Friends in Jail.

The police court was crowded yesterday afternoon by a motley crowd of spectators who had come in anticipation of seeing the Italian, Frank Jachetta, arraigned on a charge of killing Charley Olsen, better known as "Crawfish Charley."

On the transcript of the police cases appeared the name of Frank Gazit alias Jachetta, charged with murder, but as no complaint had been sworn to the prisoner was not brought up for arraignment. This was somewhat disappointing to the spectators, among whom were a number of the prisoner's friends.

Jachetta occupies one of the new cells near the center of the corridor, extending along the north end of the jail. He was visited by a large number of his friends during the day, with whom he conversed through the iron grate opening into the large hallway. In fact the hall was crowded the greater portion of the time by gossiping groups of Italians.

Jachetta is a very pleasant and quiet looking Italian, and the expression of his face gives no indication of the blood-thirsty deed. His friends, of whom he has many, say that he has always borne a good reputation, and that he has never before been known to commit a violent act.

The prisoner himself has very little to say. He evidently realizes the enormity of the crime, and the probable consequences staring him in the face, but he still stands firmly on the position first taken, and insists that the crime was committed in self-defense. He is prepared to stand trial and thinks that he can establish the fact that the shooting was justifiable under the circumstances.

Judge Adams has been engaged to defend the prisoner and the probability is that Jachetta will have a preliminary examination in the police court this afternoon.

STILL ANOTHER AT THE MORGUE.

Lottie Clark, an Inmate of a Third Street Bagnio Commits Suicide.

Some drug clerk who is accustomed to violate the law which regulates the sale of morphine, came very near being an accessory to the death of an inmate of Blanche Hamilton's place at 189 Third street last night.

During the day Lottie Clark had been imbibing freely of the cup which cheers and also inebriates, and solacing her real or imaginary troubles by occasional recurrence to a box of two-grain morphine capsules, which bore the suggestive but inadequate legend, "POISON, 2-gr. capsules."

The other inmates of the house were not aware of her doings until in their presence she said: "I have been taking poison and am going to take some more." One of the capsules fell to the floor and they tried to seize it, Lottie proving too quick for them, however, and added two to what she had already taken. She had come down from her upstairs room, and when the morphine began to work she was put to bed in one of the lower rooms.

The poison soon began to assert itself, and at 8:30 in the evening this message was sent to Dr. G. E. Geiger: "Come up to 189 Third street, as soon as you can. B. Hamilton." The doctor lost no time in answering the call, and found Lottie in a sad way, indeed, to outward appearances dead, a pulse of about 30, respiration 3 to 4 per minute. Three hours of hard work in diligent rubbing, and the internal treatment of belladonna, sulphate of atropia and strong coffee, succeeded in securing a more normal condition, and she was pronounced out of danger. Four of the capsules were left, which, with the box, the doctor retained in his possession.

A reporter called at the house. Lottie was still unconscious, lying upon the bed with a face almost as white as the counterpane. She is a good looking, rather fleshy girl of probably 23 years. The inmates of the house stated that she was not a slave to the morphine habit and had no known reason to wish to die, as she had $400 in the bank and plenty of fine diamonds and other jewelry.

At 2 o'clock this morning Andy DeLin sent word to THE OREGONIAN office that Lottie Clark was dead. A reporter immediately accompanied Mr. DeLin to the place of the tragedy, and found that the report was only too true. The woman was lying on the bed, with every appearance indicating that life had just become extinct.

The reporter interviewed Ruby Garet, another inmate of the house, who gave the following account:

"Lottie, whose real name is Charlotte Brooks, came to my bedroom door Monday morning at 5 o'clock, and wanted to get in. I told her to come in and she did so. She stood at the foot of the bed and said she wanted a clean night dress, and I got up and procured one for her, when she kissed me, which she was not in the habit of doing. I thought she acted very strange. Then she asked me to do her a favor. She said:

"Keep me awake, Alice, I am sorry how I took it. Will you go up stairs and get my jewelry? I want you to give them to my sister.' She then went to bed, and when I came back she was sound asleep. I tried to keep her awake, and did partially until 11 o'clock. After that time I let her sleep, and we did not disturb her until we tried to arouse her at 8 o'clock in the evening, when we found it impossible to do so." From Blanche Hamilton, it was learned that Dr. Geiger was immediately sent for. He staid by her side working over her and administering proper antidotes till 11:30, at which time he left, thinking she was some better. But a short time later respiration began to flag and she breathed very slowly. Believing she was again getting worse, and not being able to find Dr. Geiger, they went for Dr. D. H. Rand, who arrived at 1:15. He said:

"I found her in a dying condition, and immediately wrote a prescription for proper antidotes, and while waiting performed artificial respiration, but in fifteen minutes she was dead."

Mr. DeLin took the body to the morgue, and an inquest will probably be held this afternoon.

Lottie Clark's parents, formerly lived in San Francisco. About eight years ago her father, who is now dead, was in business in that city.

GATHERED ALONG THE RIVER.

Work on the Wharf Boat—The Oregon In—Brenhilda Cleared.

Work is still progressing at raising the O. R. & N. Co.'s wharf boat, which is still partly submerged. It is expected that she will be ready for service the latter part of the week. A portion of the sugar which belonged to the damaged lot was sold Saturday for 4 cents per pound. A large part of the dry goods are but slightly damaged, and will probably bring a good figure.

The steamer Oregon arrived at her dock yesterday at 5 A. M. She was examined at Astoria before being allowed to come up the river, but found her a clean bill of health. She was at San Francisco only twenty-four hours. Having lost six days on her last trip between Astoria and Portland, she was compelled to increase her speed and make a short stop at the other end of her route in order to make up for lost time.

The M. E. Watson has discharged about one-third of her cargo of railroad iron. She is now at the Oregon Railway & Navigation Company's Albina dock, and as soon as she has completed unloading the iron, will receive wheat for the United Kingdom.

The bark Archer, which has been moored for some time near the Bement, has cleared for England with 43,374 bushels of wheat.

The Ocklahama went down yesterday at 9 A. M., with the Archer in tow, and left up at 11 A. M., with the Ruthwell.

The Brenhilda probably went down this morning at daylight. She is loaded with wheat for England.

The steamer Alki left Astoria for Portland yesterday at 11:45 A. M.

The German bark Auguste is lying at the Mersey dock.

FROM THE LAND OF THE AZTECS.

Return of Professor Clayton—What He Says About Mining Matters.

Professor J. E. Clayton, the well-known mining expert, returned yesterday from a trip to New Mexico. He was sent for to make an examination of the Carlyle mine which is owned by an English company. He arrived there on New Year's day and found that the mine, which was a rich one when first opened, the vein of ore being 30 to 40 feet wide, is now of but little value, as the ore is base and of very low grade. The good paying ore gave out 400 feet below the surface. The object of Professor Clayton's visit was to advise what action should be taken by the company to improve the mine. He could only advise that they sink a shaft down into the ore in hopes of finding a body of better ore. The prospects for finding any better ore are, however, not very flattering in his opinion.

Mines in general have a fashion of petering out, and bodies of ore do not go so deep as many suppose. Very few pay below 2000 feet. Professor Clayton stayed over at Redding, on his way home, to visit a gold mine, near there, owned by Walker Bros., of Salt Lake, which he found to be a very promising mine.

He says at Clifton, on the border of Arizona, a copper mine is turning out two car loads per day of bars of crude copper, containing about 97 per cent. of the pure metal. There is a very extensive copper-mining district in that vicinity. He also called on J. B. Haggin to talk about the copper mines in Butte. The most extensive copper working plant in the United States is at Anaconda, and the mines there are now yielding about half a million per month net profit. Professor Clayton will remain here a short time to recuperate and will then visit Montana.

MEETING OF THE PORTLAND W. C. T. U.

Three New Delegates Elected—A Petition to Suppress Liquor Traffic.

The Portland W. C. T. U. met at their hall, 128½ First street, yesterday at 2:30 P. M.

President Mrs. A. D. Miller presided, and also led in the devotional exercises. The secretary read the minutes of the previous meeting, which were approved, after which the list of delegates to the state convention was completed by the election of Mrs. Bewley, Mrs. Townsend and Mrs. Robinson in the place of Mrs. Dygert, Mrs. Bickafoose and Mrs. Pierce, who could not attend.

The temperance society which was organized last Wednesday was pronounced a success by Mrs. Miller.

A motion was carried to send a petition for the suppression of the liquor traffic on the Congo, when Mrs. Ogden again presented the claims of the Union Signal; when the subject "Temptation," was introduced for Bible reading.

Next Monday a meeting will be held, at which time the subject "Heredity" will be discussed.

The meeting then adjourned.

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TWO BODIES AT THE MORGUE.

An Inquest Is Held on the Body of Henry A. Ray.

Hundreds of People View the Remains—Verdict of the Coroner's Jury—Crawfish Charley's Friend Not Yet Found.

It is not so very often that the city morgue contains the bodies of two victims of a violent death. Such a day, however, was yesterday, for the remains of H. A. Ray, who committed suicide in the St. Charles hotel Saturday evening, and that of Charley Olsen, the victim of Jachetta's fatal bullet, were exhibited to the view of the curious public. It is needless to say that the morgue was filled during the hours the doors were open by a crowd of people whose morbid curiosity had led them to view the bodies of the two men.

The remains of Henry B. Ray lay upon a stretcher in the little side room wrapped in a white shroud, and a moist towel covering the man's face. This face covering was ever and anon removed, revealing the handsome features of the man, and the ugly bullet wound over the right ear, by which he made his own quietus.

The body of Charley Olsen, or as he is more commonly called "Crawfish Charley," lay in a plain black coffin placed on a stand in the center of the room.

The body was in the same condition as when picked up near Second and B streets on the night the deadly bullet from Jachetta's revolver pierced his breast. The dark-blue flannel shirt saturated with blood was pulled back so as to reveal the blackened bullet hole in the center of the breast. His face still dyed with the crimson and covered about the mouth and nostrils with a light foam, as is usual when death results from hemorrhage of the lungs, presented a sanguinary and repulsive appearance.

INQUEST ON THE BODY OF RAY.

As was announced, Coroner DeLin held an inquest on the body of Henry A. Ray at 10 o'clock yesterday morning. After the jury had viewed the remains, they repaired to the jury-room above and began to take testimony.

TESTIMONY OF THE NIGHT CLERK.

The first witness called was J. G. Webber, night clerk of the St. Charles hotel, who testified: "I first saw deceased Friday morning last. He registered at the hotel as 'Henry Ray.' About 9:30 o'clock the following Saturday the bell of the room occupied by him rang violently, and on going to the door I found it locked on the inside. The lady he registered as his sister was in the room, and I could not readily understand what she was saying, as she was crying. I passed through the hall window out on the balcony, and thus gained an entrance to the room through a window. I saw Mr. Ray lying on the floor, and the lady said that he had the room key in his pocket. I took the key, unlocked the door and let the people who had gathered in the hall into the room. Mr. Ray's pulse was still beating when I entered, and I had Mr. Knowles telephone for a doctor. His head was lying in a pool of blood and a pistol was lying about two feet distant. The lady who registered as his sister was greatly excited.

MRS. I. A. LEWIS.

The next witness called was Mrs. Ida Lewis, the lady who has been passing as Mr. Ray's sister. She was dressed in neat black attire, and her pale, sad face and reddened eyes gave indication of heavy sorrows and recent weepings. She answered all questions frankly and without hesitation, and at times her handkerchief was brought into requisition to suppress the involuntary flow of tears.

Her testimony in the main coincided with the statements given by her in an interview at the hotel and published in THE OREGONIAN of yesterday. She told of her relations with the deceased and the circumstances leading up to the committal of the desperate act. Ray had complained to her of being sick several times during Saturday afternoon, she said, and she had advised him to go to sleep. "He took out his revolver at different times, remarking: 'That is death.' I asked him to put his revolver away, and allow me to talk to him. He answered that he had been better than a brother to me, and recalled times when he had befriended me.

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"I told him that I was afraid of him, as he had been drinking, and asked for the key of the door, but he refused to give it up. I threatened to get out of the window and he said I should not.

"Without his knowledge I rang the bell twice, but no one answered. I made several efforts to get out of the window, but he prevented me from doing so by drawing his revolver upon me. I asked him why he wanted to commit such a crime and he said that we both had better be dead.

"At length I said: 'You would not kill me, would you?' he replied in the affirmative.

"When I subsequently threatened to call for help, he said: 'Don't you dare!'"

Her testimony of what transpired up to the time Ray fired the fatal bullet was substantially the same as related by her the day following the suicide.

OTHER WITNESSES.

Mrs. M. Turner, a chambermaid at the St. Charles hotel, stated that Ray acted very strangely on Saturday afternoon when she went into his room to make up the beds. She said that Ray had a wild glare in his eye and that he continually watched her at her work.

Mr. Van Rhein told of his acquaintance with the deceased and the business relations that had existed between them. He could assign no motive for Ray's rash act in taking his own life.

A. A. Ritchie, who accompanied the officer from the police station to the hotel on the night of Ray's suicide, testified to the circumstances of placing the body in a casket, conveying it to the morgue, and then made a search of the dead man's clothing. "No money was found on his person," he said.

Dr. Geisy who examined the remains at the morgue merely gave a physician's opinion of the cause of death, ascribing it to the bullet wound in the man's head.

THE JURY'S VERDICT.

The jury after a brief deliberation returned a verdict "that the deceased, Henry A. Ray, came to his death on Saturday evening, February 16, 1889, at the St. Charles hotel, in Portland, Or., from a pistol shot fired by his own hand during temporary aberration of mind, and that the said Henry A. Ray was a native of the state of Virginia, a single man, aged about 35 years."

Mr. DeLin telegraphed to Mr. Ray's Odd Fellow's lodge at San Francisco yesterday and asked what disposition should be made of the man's remains. Up to a late hour last night no reply had been received, and in the meantime the body will remain at the morgue.

There is no longer any doubt but Ray planned the suicide with the coolest deliberation, for Mrs. Lewis states, that he wrote on a back of an Odd Fellowship lodge receipt, "Forward this with me to San Francisco," at least two hours before he took his life.

The woman, Mrs. Lewis, is still at the hotel and has not yet decided what she will do or where she will go. She evidently needs a little rest to recover from the great excitement the past few days' events have subjected her to.

Inquest on "Crawfish Charley."

No inquest was held on the body of "Crawfish Charley" yesterday afternoon, the reason being that the other man who was with him and Jachetta, his slayer, on the evening of the shooting, has not yet been found.

It is learned that the dead man's true name is Charley Holsten, but for the past few years he has gone by the name of Charley Olsen, and the sobriquet "Crawfish Charley."

Immediately after the shooting, the third man composing the trio of ramblers, took to his heels and fled, and the officers have not yet been able to find him. Just why he should have done this is not plain, inasmuch as he is nothing more in the affair than an important witness. There is no charge against him, and the best thing he could do, so say the officers, would be to surrender himself to the authorities, and throw what light he can on the shooting. Jachetta is equally as anxious that this missing man be found as are the officers, for he believes that the man will bear him out in the assertion that he shot "Crawfish Charley" in self defense.

The inquest will probably be held this afternoon whether the missing man materializes in the meantime or not.

A SHOCKING UXORCIDE.

"Little Judy" Passes Away at the Holton After a Brief but Sanguinary Family Row.

"Judy" is mourned and missed by all the regular attaches and frequenters of the Holton. For years she has made her home in the office, bar and card rooms; night and day she has been seen taking her modest and peaceable way about the hotel, occasionally greeting a passing acquaintance, but never getting drunk, swearing at the help, beating the bartender or taking offensive part in heated political discussions. In these respects she was an exemplary pattern for many men; while in a domestic capacity, her virtues may well put to shame large numbers of her own sex possessed of less rectitude. That is to say, "Judy" was, just prior to her violent taking-off yesterday, the mother of seven newly-born infants. The new acquisitions awakened in the breast of her spouse no feelings but the most malevolent. Sir Thomas straightway put to death five of her offspring, and in the struggle so wounded the old girl that after walking upstairs she quietly went into her favorite card room, turned her face to the wall and fell asleep. Perhaps her ghost will haunt the rooms, and the belated reveller as he drops in alone to sit by the fire of a night, may expect to see poor "Judy's" form again brush up against his feet, and ask to be petted in her soft purring tones.

MISS LYDIA THOMPSON.

Lydia Thompson and her new burlesque company appear at the New Park theater for six nights and two matinees, commencing Friday, February 22, opening in Stephens and Soloman's new satirical burlesque of "Penelope." A prominent young society gentleman, just returned from New York, and who saw the Lydia Thompson burlesque company, says:

"I have never known so strong a burlesque organization to be brought together. Miss Thompson herself has never been in such good form as at present. She looks to be about 35 years of age, and she is full of sprightliness and high spirits.

"The burlesque of 'Penelope' is simply charming, the many English ladies the most beautiful I have yet seen on any stage, and the costumes surpass in magnificence any ever worn by any company in the country."

Among the specialties are some that have been the surprise and wonder of the season. Miss Rose Newham, who dances very gracefully, during the dance kicks clean over both shoulders, and is the most marvelous kick ever seen on the stage. It is without doubt the burlesque company par excellence of the season.

PORTLAND COMPLIMENTED.

A Correspondent Writes a Letter in Which This City is Spoken of Very Flatteringly.

Mr. William Beach, representing the *Scientific American*, is now in the city. He is making an extended tour of the Northwest coast. Under date of "Portland, January 27," Mr. Beach writes a long letter to an Eastern paper from which the following extracts are taken:

A pull of forty miles from Kalama brought us to this city, which is on the westerly bank of the Willamette and not on the Columbia river as is generally supposed. Occasional breaks in the forests and hills afforded us distant but superb views of some of the loftiest of all the snow clad peaks. Mount Adams, Mount Rainier, and Mount St. Helens, each of which have an altitude of over 12,000 feet, looked inexpressibly grand in the bright warm sunshine. Mount Hood too, of which we had an unobstructed view from the deck of the mammoth ferry boat, loomed up distant one hundred miles, white with eternal snow, like a magnificent Egyptian pyramid, made more prominent by the setting of green that environed its base and by the verdure of the surrounding country, for it must be remembered, that thus far this winter no snow and no extreme cold has visited this part of Oregon.

Portland has been so frequently alluded to by tourists that little new can be added; suffice it to say that it is the commercial and distributing metropolis of the Northwest, the diverging point of Eastern travel, the terminus of four transcontinental routes, also of two steamship lines from San Francisco. Its population is 70,000 and is rapidly increasing. It is well known as the wealthiest city of its size in the United States. Its tributary country is of the richest, comprising the vast Willamette and Columbia river valleys, an agricultural territory that has yielded thirty bushels of wheat per acre for fifty consecutive years without fertilizers, and whose soil is equally well adapted to potatoes, hops, fruit and other profitable crops, drouth being unknown.

The raising of prunes is just now commencing to receive the attention of Oregon fruit growers, and is comparatively a new industry that promises exceedingly lucrative returns. Already there are orchards in bearing that will, when they reach maturity, yield over 100,000 pounds each of fruit equal in quality to the best French and Turkish imported articles. Over 500,000 pounds were marketed this year, a box of which we will mail you that you may more readily appreciate their quality. These retail readily at 12 cents per pound.

In a few short years the Oregon prune will be as well known commercially as the Delaware and Jersey peach of the East. The extent of the prune trade is not generally understood. France alone has over one million of acres under cultivation and our grocers are to-day importing hundreds of thousands of pounds. Truly here is a staple and lucrative industry in which a man of moderate means can embark with safety. The cost of a suitable evaporator is small and the other necessary paraphernalia is trifling. The estimated minimum yield is 6000 pounds per acre, and the cost of curing and packing is less than two cents per pound.

INCIDENTS OF THE OLD DAYS.

One of the City Dads Gives Some of His Experiences Away Back Early in the Sixties.

The city auditor's office is rather a poor place for reporters in search of news, but occasionally, when some of the councilmen have collected there, one can hear some rather interesting yarns about early days on the Pacific coast.

Several of the city dads were sitting around the stove there the other day talking over the opportunities for getting rich they had missed in the flush times of the West.

"I was once offered the town site of Missoula for two ten-gallon kegs of whisky," said one. "Bill Gardiner, who kept a saloon at Rattlesnake, wanted the whisky, and offered me his town site, saying there would be a big town there some day. I told him I did not want his town site. I left the Bitter Root valley for fear I would own the whole condemned country.

"The man who cooked for the pack train I went in with, is now worth $150,000, and the man who owned the train sent me word the other day that he had dropped a million in the wheat deal in Chicago, but that he had plenty left."

"If you had stayed in Bitter Root," said a listener, "you might have been a millionaire, too."

"Yes, but I did not want to stay in that country. I have lived here and enjoyed the comforts of civilization, and I have made a living and enjoyed life, which is better than to live there and be a millionaire."

"What on earth were you ever doing there, anyway?" asked a reporter.

"Trading. Along early in the 60's I invested all I had in bacon and beans, gum boots, and all sorts of goods needed in a mining camp, and chartered a pack train to take the goods to Montana. We got along all right till we got away up in the Cœur d'Alene country, when most of the men mutinied and took a notion that they would turn back. Charley, the owner of the pack train, came to me crying, and said the men were going to quit. He had forty as good mules as ever wore hair, which was all he had in the world, and all I had was in the goods with which the train was loaded. The country was fearfully rough, and it rained terribly, and the men had got enough of the trip."

"Well, what are you going to do?" said I.

"I don't know; the men say you are crazy and I am crazy and they will go no further."

"Where did you hire them to go?"

"I hired them to go either to Kootenai or Stinking Water."

"Don't you know it will take all you have to day me if you abandon my goods here?"

"Yes: it will set me afoot. I do not know what to do."

"Well, you turn everything over to me and tell the men you have placed everything in my charge. He did so, and I talked to Ab England, the cook, and an old fellow they called Deacon, and they said they would stand by me. Then I called the other six men up and talked the matter over with them and explained the situation. But it did no good: they said they had had enough and were going back.

I then told them that the first man who attempted to leave I would kill or they should kill me, and I ordered them to saddle up the mules. They hesitated a moment and finally went to work, and we had no more trouble during the trip. When we got through and I paid Charley off, he thanked me and said I had saved his train.

"On the way back they camped at the place where the boys mutinied, and they scarfed the trees and named the place 'Camp Woodward.' I started business in the Bitter Root valley at a place where eight or ten men had been lynched a little while before, and did a good business, and as I said, left there for fear I should own the whole country."

OVER A HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS.

The Estimated Value of the Estate of Levi Anderson—The Will and Probate Proceedings.

The will of Levi Anderson was admitted to probate yesterday in the county court. Mr. Anderson died in Portland on the 9th inst. The petition of Mrs. Emma H. Anderson, his wife, to be appointed executrix of the estate was granted, and letters testamentary issued to her.

The property belonging to the estate is described as follows: Lot 5, block 13, in Couch's addition; lots 1 and 2 in block 26; lots 1 and 2 in block 165, and fifteen acres on Robinson hill.

Contract to purchase certain property in Clackamas county, upon which $480 has been paid and upon which $4000 is yet due. Twenty acres near Oregon City, known as the Lovejoy farm.

A farm of 160 acres in Marion county.

Cash in bank, $4007 76. Notes and mortgages to the amount of $23,050. Twenty shares of Willamette Iron Bridge stock, and household furniture. Total, $114,057 76.

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